

NEWS BY THE WIRE FROM WASHINGTON

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE.

Agricultural Appropriation Bill Passed with Few Amendments—The Marquette Statue Controversy—World's Fair Medals Ready for Distribution at Last—Capital City Gossip.

Washington, March 4.—The senate gave most of the session Tuesday to the agricultural appropriation bill and passed that measure, carrying \$3,262,000, without material amendment. Late in the day word came from the house that the error concerning the Cuban resolutions had been corrected. In its corrected form the house resolution is an amendment to that passed by the senate. As thus reported back the subject was referred to the committee on foreign relations, Mr. Sherman stating that the committee would consider the question at the meeting today.

Mr. Allen asked immediate consideration of a resolution declaring that all United States bonds are redeemable in both gold and silver, but objection was made and the resolution went over.

Mr. Chandler of the committee on privileges and elections presented the majority report of that committee, providing for an investigation of the Alabama elections by a select committee. Mr. Gray of the same committee gave notice of a minority report.

THE MARQUETTE STATUE.

Mr. Linton Thinks Wisconsin May Remove It from the Capitol.

Washington, March 4.—Although much pressure is being brought to bear on members of congress to induce them to have the Wisconsin statue of Pere Marquette taken from Statuary hall, it is unlikely that any action of the sort will be taken. Mr. Linton (Mich.), the member who introduced resolutions for the removal of the statue, is not disposed to push his protest at present. He said that he believed the members of the legislature of Wisconsin would conclude that the statue was out of place, and at its next session pass an act to withdraw it, and possibly substitute another statue in its place. He also said he was certain that the agitation of the matter had the effect of preventing the fulfillment of the plans for ceremonies and speech-making. A petition has been received by the senators and members from Maine, signed by the state officers of the A. P. A., protesting in warm terms against the acceptance of the statue and asking them to make an effort to have it removed. Similar protests are being received by other members.

Senator John L. Mitchell of Wisconsin said: "I don't know what the state of Wisconsin will do. But that statue is entitled to its place in Statuary hall. It has a peculiar status, however. It is still the property of Wisconsin, when it ought, by right, to be formally accepted by the government. The usual formalities of accepting it ought not to be omitted merely to satisfy a lot of cranks. As soon as the excitement settles down, a resolution will be introduced formally accepting the statue. I am willing Congressman Linton should have a shy at this subject with his resolution first. I understand he wants to bring it up in the house at the first opportunity, ordering the removal of the statue."

ORIENTAL COMPETITION.

Mr. Tawney Asks the House to Make an Investigation.

Washington, March 4.—Some days ago Mr. Newlands of Nevada introduced in the house a resolution instructing the ways and means committee to inquire into the effect of the difference of exchange between gold and silver standard countries on American manufactures. There is a disposition to make the investigation, but it will probably be on the basis of a resolution offered by Mr. Tawney (rep., Minn.) Tuesday. His resolution is substantially in the words of a resolution adopted recently at Chicago by the American Manufacturers' association. It is as follows: "Resolved, That the committee on ways and means inquire respecting the alleged invasion of our markets and the menace offered to American manufacturing industry by the products of cheap oriental labor, and to determine what is the cause of this menace, and what means should be adopted to avert the threatened injury to domestic producers."

Proceedings in the House.

Washington, March 4.—The house spent the entire session Tuesday in debating the amendment to the legislative appropriation bill to abolish the fee system in the cases of United States district attorneys and marshals. The salaries fixed by the amendment, which was adopted, range from \$2,000 to \$5,000. The amendment was endorsed by almost every member of the judiciary committee. It was argued the amendment would reduce the expenses of the United States courts, which have doubled since 1878, at least \$500,000 for the first year, and result in stopping the pernicious padding of the business of the federal courts.

While the debate was in progress, Mr. Hitt, chairman of the foreign affairs committee, offered a resolution, which was adopted, requesting the senate to return the Cuban resolutions passed Monday. The mistake in transmitting

them made this action necessary to correct the journals of the two houses.

Lake Michigan to the Wabash.
Washington, March 4.—Senator Turpie introduced a joint resolution Tuesday providing for the appointment of a commission under the direction of the secretary of war to make a preliminary survey for a ship canal from Lake Michigan to the Wabash river. He said, in presenting the resolution, that the proposed canal would afford a cheap and direct route between the great lakes and the Gulf of Mexico, and in case of foreign war a line for the transportation of munitions of war which would be safe from outside attack.

To Distribute World's Fair Medals.
Washington, March 4.—The joint resolution which was prepared at the request of the board of control of the World's Columbian commission during its recent session here, providing for an appropriation of \$15,000 to enable the secretary of the treasury to distribute the world's fair medals and diplomas, passed the senate by unanimous consent, and an effort will be made to rush it through the house, so that the awards, already long delayed, may be delivered to the prize winners.

Military Station at Des Moines.
Washington, March 4.—The military affairs committee of the house has reported favorably the bill of Mr. Hull for the establishment of a military station at Des Moines, Iowa. The bill appropriates \$50,000 for preliminary expenses, but is conditioned upon the donation of a site by the city of Des Moines. Des Moines is now a recruiting station.

FOR A FIGHT ON SILVER.

Demand Made by Gov. Stone on the Democrats of Missouri.

St. Louis, Mo., March 4.—Gov. William J. Stone has sent out a letter to the silver democrats of Missouri in which he defies the "sound-money" men of the state. He says, among other things: "In this fight I shall favor the Sedalia convention sending a solid free-silver delegation to Chicago. I shall favor the selection of two delegates from each congressional district, as has been done heretofore, as a matter of geographical distribution, but I shall stand with those who will insist on every delegate being a pronounced advocate of free silver coinage. The delegates to Chicago will represent the Missouri democracy. They go there to voice the sentiment of this state. They do not go to voice simply the sentiment of a district. If a district caucus recommends men out of harmony and sympathy with the party sentiment in the state I not only regard it as the right but the duty of the convention to select others in their stead."

"Why do gold-standard men want to go as delegates? Is it to promote the cause of silver coinage or to obstruct it? The question answers itself. The Missouri democracy has taken its position on this coinage question. We must press resolutely forward if we mean to achieve practical results. A step backward is to invite, if not to insure defeat. If the gold men are in control at Chicago, they will adopt a gold platform and endorse Mr. Cleveland's policy. This is as certain as fate. I am in favor of preventing that if possible, but it cannot be prevented by sending Cleveland men to represent silver constituencies in the convention." He ends with an appeal to the silver men to organize at once.

Arkansas Republicans Want McKinley.

Little Rock, Ark., March 4.—Three hundred republicans assembled Tuesday to select delegates to vote for their choice in the national convention, and every mention of protection or the name of William McKinley, Jr., brought forth applause. The name of no other presidential candidate was even mentioned in the convention. On the currency question the resolutions reported were as follows: "We favor true bimetalism with such restrictions and under such provisions to be determined by legislation as will secure the maintenance of the parity of values of the two metals so that the purchasing and debt-paying power of the dollar, whether of silver, gold or paper, shall be at all times equal." The resolutions strongly favor the policy of protection.

The Iowa Legislature.

Des Moines, Iowa, March 4.—The house Tuesday passed a building and loan bill. It provides for the rigid government of building and loan associations in Iowa, which are placed under the general direction of the auditor of state. A resolution of appreciation for the action of congress in relation to Cuba was adopted by the house. The material resources of Iowa are formally tendered to the president and congress for the maintenance of the dignity of the commonwealth.

Tennessee Democrats Rattled.

Knoxville, Tenn., March 4.—Ex-Governor Taylor announces that he is a candidate for governor, and has caused great excitement among Tennessee democrats. Many of the county conventions have declared for free silver and one state democratic convention. Indications point to a free-silver plank in the state platform and a break to a populist candidate.

New Submarine Telegraph.

Paris, March 4.—The chamber of deputies adopted the project for a new submarine telegraph line between France, the United States and the Antilles.

ROME IN AN UPROAR OVER THE DEFEAT

ITALIAN TROOPS BEATEN BY ABYSSINIANS.

Three Thousand of King Humbert's Soldiers Reported To Have Been Killed in the Battle—Government May Resign To Quell the Popular Clamor—Germany Is Interested.

Rome, March 4.—It is impossible to exaggerate the consternation which the news of the Italian defeat in Abyssinia has caused in all circles in this city. The newspapers do not even seek to minimize the disaster in the slightest degree. The whole of the garrison of the city is confined within the barracks for fear of disorder. Even the semi-official newspapers dwell without disguise upon the serious feature of the situation.

The semi-official journals assert that Gen. Baratieri's loss was over sixty guns. They accuse Gen. Baratieri of incapacity and want of foresight and they demand the adoption of measures worthy of the nation. The government has decided to mobilize the reserves of the class of 1872, numbering 80,000.

A rumor spread through the city that Gen. Baratieri, when he became aware of the full extent of the disaster, wrote a letter to his successor, Gen. Badissiera, and then committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver. At the ministry of war, however, the rumor was discredited.

As the day wore on, and the very worst news of the Italian defeat was confirmed, the feeling of despair which first seized upon the inhabitants gave way to one of the greatest excitement and rage against the government. Bands of young men began parading the streets, shouting "Down with Crispi!" but they were promptly dispersed by the police.

These demonstrations, however, attracted still larger crowds of people to the streets, and for a time serious trouble was anticipated. All the troops at the different barracks throughout the city were placed under arms, and patrols of mounted gendarmes were ordered to the leading thoroughfares.

King Humbert had a long interview with the president of the senate. According to the Italian King Humbert insists that Premier Crispi shall present himself in the chamber and shall ask for a vote by which the government shall be guided in its future decisions. The cabinet will meet again to-day, and it is not believed that it will resign.

The marquis di Rudini presided at a meeting of the opposite leaders. The opinion prevailed that every demand made by the government for the relief of Abyssinia should be granted, but not to the present government.

Owing to the sad news of the Italian reverse the pope has ordered that a Te Deum be sung in St. Peter's. The celebration of the anniversary of his coronation has been postponed. The opinion demands that Gen. Baratieri should be punished for his defeat.

Gen. Badissiera has assumed command of the Italian troops in Abyssinia. The latest news reports are to the effect that Gen. Arimondi, who commanded one of the Italian columns in the disastrous engagement, is also missing, and that Gen. Elena, who commanded the reserve, was slightly wounded.

It is reported here that Gen. Baratieri was wounded during the engagement. According to the correspondent in Africa of the Popolo Romano half of the Italian artillery and all the ammunition and provisions were lost. Other advices report that 3,000 of the Italian soldiers engaged in the battle were killed, and that among them are Gens. Albertane and Darbormida, who commanded two of the three columns. The number of wounded is not yet stated. The Shoans are said to have been well armed with modern rifles and cannon, and the entire force opposed to the Italians is estimated to have been over 60,000 men.

Germany Deeply Interested.

London, March 4.—The correspondent of the Times at Berlin dwells upon Germany's deep political and financial interests in Italy's prosperity, and says that without doubt Germany would help Italy if she could, and that the recent German resentment against England was largely due to the latter's failure to render Italy the valuable aid she was in a position to give. A Rome dispatch to the Daily News says that the cabinet has resigned, but that King Humbert has refused to accept the resignation. Gen. Baratieri will be recalled, and court-martialed.

Alleged News from Nansen.

St. Petersburg, March 4.—Major General Svotitsky, the governor of Irkutsk, telegraphs here in reply to queries regarding the reports as to Dr. Nansen's return, that Peter Ivanovich Kuchnareff, who trades at Ust Yansk, under date of Nov. 10 wrote to the merchant Kuchnareff at Yakutsk as follows: "We learn that Dr. Nansen has reached the pole, has discovered hitherto unknown land and has now returned. Consequently the Arctic ocean has now been explored."

Illinois Dairymen's Association.

Princeton, Ill., March 4.—The twenty-second annual meeting of the Illinois State Dairymen's association, opens here to-day. A large number of members have arrived.

WAR PREPARATIONS ARE BEING MADE

SPANISH GOVERNMENT IS AR- RANGING FOR SHIPS.

Eight Steamships Accepted From the Marquis of Tomillas To Be Armed and Placed in the Navy—President Cleveland's Position Is Defined.

Madrid, March 4.—The marquis of Tomillas has had a long conference with Admiral Beranger, the minister of marine, at which he offered the government all the steamers and coal depots of the Transatlantic company. The minister of marine accepted this offer, which will be debated at the cabinet council to be held today. Eight of these steamers will be forthwith armed and placed under the command of naval officers.

All Spaniards who have been acting as consuls of the United States have resigned. The correspondent of the Imparcial at Havana cables that little importance is attached there to the Cuban resolutions of the United States congress. Capt.-Gen. Weyler has cabled to the government saying that he does not at present need the re-enforcements of 25,000 men which have been offered him by the government.

The students of Madrid university came to a decision to renew their anti-American demonstration yesterday. The rector of the university, learning of this determination, had fifty of the students arrested. The result was that the good order of the city was not disturbed.

Steps have been taken to form a woman's patriotic league under the patronage of the queen regent. Every class of society has been invited to join and a permanent fund will be opened to aid the Cuban war fund.

WILL NOT RECOGNIZE CUBA.

Position Taken by the President and Members of the Cabinet.

Washington, March 4.—The president and his cabinet are said to be strongly opposed to the present recognition of the belligerency of the Cuban insurgents, and to any declaration concerning their independence as embodied in recent congressional resolutions.

Both independence and belligerency are facts, and their recognition by other powers, as the term implies, is merely formal acknowledgment of a state of things which rightly or wrongly has come about. Refusal of recognition would not change the fact any more than premature "recognition" could create it. The former would be merely a slight to the new government, just as the latter is merely an effort to the old one. The question necessarily is always what government is actually in control of the country? The pretense of recognizing what does not exist is always, and justly, regarded as an unfriendly act and a gratuitous demonstration of moral support to the rebellion.

It is understood that, judged by these tests, the administration does not think the present state of affairs in Cuba justifies any change in the attitude of the government. Its function is to act and not to express feeling. The only action now proper is to continue to hold responsible for injuries to American citizens the only government which, so far as appears, has and maintains authority in Cuba, until some other government succeeds, at least temporarily, in supplanting it.

London Editorial Comment.

London, March 4.—The newspapers of this city again refer at length to the Cuban situation, in which everybody here is much interested. The Chronicle has a long article relating the story of the Cuban rebellion, in which it says: "If the Spanish blockading squadron interferes imprudently with American traders there may at any moment be such an outburst of feeling in America as might lead even to active assistance of the insurgents."

Paris Papers Criticize Us.

Paris, March 4.—The newspapers of this city continue their unfavorable comments upon the action of the United States congress on the Cuban question.

Suit Against Alleged Ghost.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, March 4.—Mrs. Sarah J. Christie has commenced suit in the district court of this county against C. C. Griffin, Andrew Bergen, Charles Ball, George Black, A. L. Hepwood and W. G. Cummings, claiming the sum of \$50,000 damages for the alleged robbery of the grave of her sister Mrs. Amanda Hanna, at Vinton, thirty years ago. This is another chapter in the sensational grave-robbery suit commenced at Vinton some months ago.

To Prohibit Gold Contracts.

Jackson, Miss., March 4.—Governor McLaurin sent to the legislature a special message recommending the passage of a law prohibiting the making of contracts payable in gold alone and providing that all contracts shall be payable in both gold and silver. The message is a long one, and deals with the financial question generally.

W. C. T. U. to Meet in San Francisco.

San Francisco, March 4.—Word has been received that the annual conference of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will be held in San Francisco next November.

SENATE REFUSED TO CONCUR

Would Not Accept the Cuban Resolution of the House

Washington, March 4.—The senate voted today to non-concur in the house Cuban resolution.

HOLMES GETS NO NEW TRIAL

Pennsylvania Supreme Court Refuses to Interfere in the Case.

Philadelphia, March 4.—The supreme court today decided not to give H. H. Holmes a new trial.

MISS MATIE KIRK SURPRISED.

Jolly Party Made Themselves At Home At Her Residence Last Night.

A number of the friends of Miss Mate Kirk surprised her last evening at her Glenn street home. The forepart of the evening was devoted to games after which tempting refreshments were served. Those present were:

Misses—Anella Schmidley, Euphemis Graas, Ella Larson, Ella Gsell, Lucie Gsell, Mamie Jones, Libbie Brent, Mamie Schmidley, Lillie Stockman, Lillie Stockman, Florence Thomas.

Messrs—B. Plowright, C. F. Kneff, A. J. Wilbur, O. E. Smith, C. L. Hanson, S. Thomas, E. O. Smith, H. Smith, W. Winkler, F. Gagan, G. H. Williamson, E. Duke.

THE LEAF MEN CHANGE ABOUT

Several Firms Take Possession of New Quarters Today.

A general change in the occupancy of local tobacco warehouses has taken place. Sutter Bros. who have occupied the warehouse adjoining the Schlitz Brewing Company for the past ten years have vacated it, and it has been rented by Samuel Grundy for a term of one year. The Head warehouse near the St. Paul freight house has been rented to Sutter Bros. and L. B. Carle for a storage building.

LADIES' AUXILIARY IN SESSION

The Money Made at the Social Was Divided Up.

The ladies' auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., held a business meeting in the new building yesterday afternoon. The money received from the "Mother Goose social" was accounted for, and from the sum twenty-five dollars was given to the association fund, five dollars to the janitor and ten dollars to the band. The balance was placed in the treasury.

LOCAL NEWS IN A LINE.

INMAN & BOLLARDS' mill was "running slack" today, as the result of a damaged engine.

I HAVE just received five new delivery wagons of assorted length bodies. Merchants in the city who contemplate the purchase of a delivery wagon, will do well to see the stock and get prices. F. A. Taylor.

THE cutting and fitting departments of the F. M. Marzluff & Co.'s shoe factory were closed today, to allow the employees to attend the great mid-winter fair. Mr. Marzluff has shown a great deal of interest in the management of the fair.

TAX patterns for '96 vehicles are all in at my repository and to say that they are tasty and beautiful does not half express it. It is necessary to see the different styles to appreciate their worth, and I invite you cordially to inspect the stock. F. A. Taylor.

DON'T send your orders for garden hoses, climbing plants and trees out of town. Rentschler Bros., the South Main street florists, have them in stock at reasonable prices. Call and inquire or send for price list.

If you need a new pair of general purpose pants, see what \$5 will buy of us in all wool kersey, and chevrot in light and dark colors manufactured by Carhart & Co. Will positively never rip nor fade. F. B. Baack.

LOUIS A. HEMMENS was very pleasantly surprised at his home, 236 Holmes street, last evening, by about fifty friends. Progressive clench was the principal amusement, the honors falling to Mrs. Ed. Riley, John McCue, and Mrs. A. A. Blunt.

THE Vincent-Straetor Company added new laurels to their reputation at the opera house last night. "Jasha-pog" was the piece presented and it pleased the audience. Tonight they will play "Our Boys."

Populists Active in Indiana.

LaPorte, Ind., March 4.—The populists are preparing for a campaign of education in northern Indiana. Gen. Coxey will speak at Wakarusa, Elkhart and Goshen during the coming week, and assignments have also been made for Gen. James B. Weaver and other speakers of national reputation. The party will put a full ticket, congressional and legislative, in the field in every district and county in the state.

Coal Miners Will Not Strike.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 4.—The river coal operators have decided to pay the price paid by the railroad operators in the district—70 cents. This action will prevent any contemplated strikes along the river. The river miners have called a mass meeting for to-day, the probable outcome of which will be the affiliation of these men, 3,000 in number, with the United Mine Workers.

Illinois Politician Dying.

Chicago, March 4.—William J. Campbell, Republican committeeman, attorney for the gas interests, and one of the most noted politicians of Illinois, is dying at his home in Riverside, a suburb of this city.

G. KIRSCHNER SINGS HIS OWN DEATH ODE

SUDDEN DEATH OF A PROMI- NENT APPLETON MAN.

He Had Been Rehearsing Music for the Funeral of a Brother Member of the Maennerchor, When He Suddenly Fell and Expired—Other Badger State News.

Appleton, Wis., March 4.—[Special]—George Kirschner, aged sixty-three years, died suddenly last night of heart disease, at Harmonic hall. With other members of the Maennerchor he had been rehearsing songs to be sung today at the funeral of John Koffend, another member of the same society. At the close of the rehearsal Mr. Kirschner sank into a chair, losing consciousness immediately and expiring within a few minutes. The inquest will be held Friday. The funeral will be in charge of the G. A. R.

Says the Bonds Are All Void.

Milwaukee, Wis., March 4.—The Wisconsin Central railway company, through its receiver, has filed a sensational answer in the suit of the Farmers' Loan and Trust company against the Northern Pacific railroad. This answer, after setting up the claim that the Northern Pacific is indebted to the Wisconsin Central companies in the sum of \$100,000, avers that the mortgages held by the plaintiff, the Farmers' Loan and Trust company, are of no force, and that the bonds issued upon them are void. It is claimed that the Northern Pacific was prohibited by congress from making or executing mortgages on its property unless with the express consent of congress. This, it is claimed, the company has never secured.

Men Burned in an Explosion.

Racine, Wis., March 4.—A gasoline tank exploded in the engine department of the Racine Hardware company Tuesday afternoon, and thirty-five workmen were obliged to leap from the windows and flee in all directions for their lives. Four of them, W. J. Pritch, foreman; S. A. King, engineer; George Nichols, and L. Stratton, were dangerously burned about the face, hands and bodies. Although none is fatally hurt, Nichols is in a bad way. A dozen others were more or less burned and cut. It was reported that five were missing and burned in the building, but they were afterward accounted for. The hardware company estimates the loss at nearly \$125,000. There is an insurance of \$35,000.

HAVE COMMENCED SUIT.

Indiana Republicans Ask that Legislative Elections Be Enjoined.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 4.—The republican state committee Tuesday commenced suit in the Hamilton county circuit court against all the election officers in all the counties of the state to enjoin them from holding an election of members of the legislature under any apportionment law enacted since the adoption of the constitution. The clerk, the auditor and the sheriff of every county in the state are made defendants. The complaint asks that all these election officers shall be enjoined from holding an election under the apportionment acts of 1895, 1893, 1892, 1885 and 1879; and the court is asked to inquire into the provisions of each case of the apportionment acts of 1872, 1867, 1857 and 1851 to ascertain whether in accordance with the requirements of the constitution and in harmony with its spirit an election for members of the general assembly may be held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1896, under any one of said acts.

CHAIRMAN HARRITY TALKS.

Mr. Cleveland Not Among the Possible Candidates for President.

New York, March 4.—The World says: "William F. Harritty, chairman of the national democratic committee, has maintained silence for many months in respect to candidates and issues, but he spoke frankly Monday to the World. He made three extremely important as well as interesting statements:

"1. That he no longer considers Mr. Cleveland as among the possible candidates for president.

"2. That the democratic party in its platform must declare for sound money—viz.: against free and unlimited silver coinage at 16 to 1.

"3. That the democrats are not more divided now than they were six months before the Tilden campaign."

Dairymen in an Organization.

Russell, Ill., March 4.—Driven to the necessity of protecting themselves against dishonest milk dealers in Chicago, the dairymen of northern Illinois and southern Wisconsin have organized for the purpose of mutual preservation of their business. Among the more important features of the agreement entered into will be the exaction of bonds from dealers. S. H. Seaman, Ranney, Wis., was elected president.

Important Decision Rendered.

St. Paul, Minn., March 4.—Judge Egan of the St. Paul district court has rendered a decision involving over \$1,200,000. It was that Margaret Robinson, a Wisconsin Indian woman, 75 years of age, was never married to Norman W. Kittson and therefore not entitled to any part of the estate. This decision lifts the last cloud from the vast estate, and permits its division among the heirs.

AS MANY LEFT OUT AS COULD GET IN

COURT ROOM JAMMED TO SUFFOCATION.

Governor Upham the Guest of Honor at the Evening Meeting—He Has a Chance To See What Men and Women Rock County Produces.

There were 1,000 people in the court room.

How many couldn't get in will never be known.

Hundreds came down the stone stairs disappointed and scattered in the darkness.

Those who got inside filled every seat, perched on every railing and then flowed past the bar and took possession of the spaces about the attorney's tables and the clerk's desk.

Farmers and their wives made up fifty per cent of the crowd, as was right and proper for a farm institute evening session.

Governor Upham, who was taken in hand by the institute committee and made a sort of guest of honor, will never have a better chance to see the sort of men and women Rock county farms turn out.

The court room was jammed long before the institute committee appeared, escorting the governor.

A burst of applause greeted them. Udden H. Fethers, the presiding officer of the evening, and Dean W. A. Henry of the state agricultural college, appeared a few moments later.

Good Music For The Opening.

There could be no complaint about the delay for the orchestra for the school for the blind had bridged the wait by an effective Tannhauser overture.

A selection by the orchestra opened the program proper and Clarence P. Williams, of Milwaukee, was applauded for his rendition of "Killarney."

Chairman Fethers made brief remarks of welcome to the audience. He asked the visitors to feel that Janesville's welcome was not a half hearted one and to feel that whatever Janesville has is yours.

He closed by presenting Governor Upham, was received with cheers and applause.

Can't Single Out One Class.

The governor dwelt upon the character of the people over whom he had been called to preside.

He dwelt proudly on the character of the state, and on the character of the farmers who made such institutes as Rock county's possible.

Referring to the question of the producer and the consumer he pointed out that no man's interests could lie with one class exclusively and no community could prosper unless the interests of both were regarded.

The work that was being done for both by the farm institutes was spoken of appreciatively.

Mrs. John F. Sweeney was applauded for her piano solo.

Brains Needed in Farming.

Professor W. A. Henry, dean of the state agricultural college, was introduced as "the man who had just refused an \$8,000 offer from another state because of the love he bears Wisconsin."

Professor Henry spoke of the Janesville institute as an exemplification of what could be done when city and country work together.

The main theme of his address was "Agricultural Education."

He went into the work that was being done by the Wisconsin Agricultural college.

The practical success that had come to graduates of the school was recounted, and it was pointed out that the best kind of farming could not be taught cheaply.

He described the various departments and said:

Muscle Alone Not Enough.

"It is the head that must be felt in agriculture today if Wisconsin is to be put at the front.

There must be mental effort or there will be no success."

The success of Denmark in building up a \$12,000,000 dairying trade was cited to prove this assertion.

William Garbutt, J. H. Burns, D. D. Bennett and John Barless sang "The Old Kentucky Home" and sang it so well they had to come out again, singing "Auld Lang Syne."

The entertainment closed with a selection by the orchestra.

The Show Surprised Him.

Superintendent Stubblefield of the Michigan Farm Institutes, was in town yesterday and today and got his first glimpse of what a Wisconsin institute is.

He was on his way from Indiana, where he attended a grand round up.

"Why," he said, "their big state meeting is no comparison to this Janesville meeting."

"Oh," said Superintendent McKee.

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row, with a desperate effort at modesty, "this is just a good average." And then he hurried off to tell some of the Janesville committee how pleased the Michigan man was.

GAVE A VERY PLEASANT PARTY

Miss Marion E. Scott's Birthday Was Fitly Celebrated at Her Home.

One of the pleasant recent social events was the party given in honor of Miss Marion Scott, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Scott of the First ward.

Games and other pleasures were indulged in and choice refreshments served during the evening.

The young lady was the recipient of a number of pretty mementoes of the occasion.

Among those present were:

Misses—Nellie Kimball, Allie Kimball, Pearl Wilby, Hazel Wilby, Fanny Dooley, Metta Church, Addie Ten Eyck, Gussie Malloy, Florence Church, Hazel Brookhouse, May Alworth, Luevia Malloy, Frances Clithrow, Winnie Ross, Marion Scott, Gertrude Scott, Lela Scott.

Messrs—Harry Swift, Leonard Brace, Arthur Diller, Ross Bump, Edward Brooks, Seaman Peterson, Edward Clark, Robert Alworth, Elmer Clark, Dean Peterson, John Horn.

JOKERS GOT THE "SMALL END."

They Had Some Fun But Lost Money On The Deal.

Two local jokers played a trick on John Johnson of Portage yesterday, and got the worst of it.

They gave Johnson a "skate" of a horse to ride, decorated the beast with all the boots and trotting clothing they could scrape together, not to speak of tunting, etc.

Johnson rode down Main street to "get a prize at the midwinter fair," but Officer Hogan stopped him.

In returning to the place of business of the jokers, the horse escaped and ran away.

When the beast was finally found in a sand pit, \$10 worth of boots, etc., were missing.

SIMPSON FEELS BETTER NOW.

The Alleged Forger Says The Police Dogged His Tracks.

John Simpson, the alleged forger, informed Sheriff Appleby that since his arrest he has felt better than at any time since he committed the alleged act.

He said he had not spent a peaceful moment since his departure from the Bower City, and that all through Illinois and Indiana he was continually haunted by the police.

At Indianapolis, he came within one of falling into the hands of the officers while coming from a saloon.

PROCTOR MAY REBUILD THE BARN

The Building Destroyed By Fire Is Likely To Be Replaced.

It is the intention of G. A. Proctor to rebuild his barn at the race track, recently destroyed by fire.

Joseph Heald, who occupied the barn, says a structure less expensive, to cost in the neighborhood of \$700 will be erected.

Mr. Heald now occupies well-built quarters in the rear of the Proctor warehouse, at the corner of East Milwaukee and Division streets, where he will remain until the proposed barn is rebuilt.

CAPTAIN ROWE'S TEAM WINNERS

Lively Game of Basket Ball Played at the Y. M. C. A. "Gym."

One of the liveliest games of basket ball that has yet taken place at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium was played last evening.

It was an "extra" game and not one of the regular schedule, although this made it none the less interesting.

The teams were captained by Clarence Rowe and Prof. H. Brown.

Secretary J. C. Kline and Physical Director Kessler both took part, Rowe's team winning by a score of 4 to 2.

LIKED W. S. JEFFRIS' ADDRESS

Clinton Herald Speaks Well of the Janesville Bankers' Talk.

The Clinton Herald says: "The practical talk on Tuesday evening last, by W. S. Jeffris, was certainly a fine one, and although the attendance was good, we regret that many more could not have heard him."

He thinks that every young man should lay aside part of his earnings, however small, and suggested real estate, an education, building end loan, and old-line life insurance as good investments."

FAIR HELPED THE RAILROADS

Many People Took Advantage of the Cheap Rates to Visit Janesville.

The railroads have little reason to complain on account of Janesville mid-winter fair for both did a good business yesterday.

The Beloit passenger, which consists of but one car unloaded thirty two passengers and the St. Paul road can boast of landing 300 people on their morning trains alone.

Milton Junction sent a delegation of sixteen on one train.

POLICE WAGON IN NEW QUARTERS

It Is Now Housed in the City Building on River Street.

Chief of Police Acheson now has a "special stable" for the patrol wagon and in the future the outfit will be found on North River street adjoining the fire station.

The order of the council was complied with yesterday.

Our Reliability a Help.

When we advertise a sale such as this unloading sale of high grade shoes at \$2 a pair, it always meets with great success.

Purchasers can rely upon receiving the value of a dollar for every one hundred cents spent with us.

The highest grade stock in the city is found on our shelves.

A. Richardson Shoe Co.

"Give me a liver regulator and I can regulate the world," said a genius.

The druggist handed him a bottle of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills.

C. D. Stevens

PENPED IN A CAR THAT IS ALL AFIRE

TWO MEN HAD A CLOSE CALL LAST NIGHT.

Joseph Bacon and Dell Thatcher in an Unpleasant Predicament—Household Goods Destroyed, and a Horse Suffocated—Loss a Heavy One for Bacon—Mrs. Hagany's Horse Burns

Joseph Bacon and Dell Thatcher had a narrow escape when the box car in which they were quartered took fire in the C. & N. W. switch yards at 11:30 o'clock last night.

Bacon escaped by leaping from the blazing car, while Thatcher attracted the attention of the trainmen by pounding and calling for assistance.

The end door was forced with coal picks, and Thatcher was finally taken out half suffocated by the smoke.

The car was loaded with household goods and one of the three horses therein, was smothered.

Bacon had no insurance, and the loss falls heavily on him.

Bacon was moving from his home near Fort Atkinson, to Arcadia, Neb.

The car containing his household goods, farming tools and horses, arrived here about 11 o'clock.

Bacon and Thatcher being in charge. They had a lantern hanging from a nail, and in switching the car about, it was jarred from the nail on which it hung.

An instant the car was filled with smoke and flame, as the lantern broke when it fell.

Bacon tried to stamp out the flames, but could not.

Thatcher in a Bad Fix.

Thatcher was asleep in the end of the car, but awakened. Bacon was forced to jump from the side door, but Thatcher summoned the trainmen as above stated.

The car was then pushed down to the North street crossing, where one of the horses was removed.

In the mean time, an alarm had been turned in from box 54, and the department was soon on hand.

The end of the car was chopped off to give the imprisoned equines air, but one of them, a yearling colt, was already dead.

The contents of the car were about ruined and the car itself was wrecked.

Bacon had no insurance and the loss is a heavy one for him.

He was on his way to Arcadia to make his home, his family remaining behind until he got settled.

G. D. SIMPSON BUYS AND SELLS

The Janesville Dry Goods Man Makes Deals in Realty

Janesville and Rock county real estate transfers as reported by Register O. D. Rowe:

George D. Simpson to Sophia Bowen, lot 57 Carrington Crown add to Janesville, \$ 300
C. E. Shannon and wife to Mike Smith, lot 5, block 26 Swift's add to Edgerton, 1,250
Virgil S. Hopkins et al to David E. Stevens \$4, set 4, sec 23 and n 1/4, ne 1/4, sec 26, 100 acres, town of Union, 3,000
Michael Bowen and wife to George D. Simpson, n 1/2, nw 1/4, 95 acres, town of Beloit, 3,900
John S. Anderson and wife to Michael Bowen, lot 333, Pease's 2nd add Janesville, 1,500
James Voorhees and wife to Lewis C. Brown, lot 13, block 1, Wheeler's add Beloit, 800
Belt State Bank to W. H. Church, lot 29, block 1 and lot 15, block 2, Mechanic's add Beloit, \$ 200
John Harvey and wife to William H. Blair \$4, lot 7 and pt lot 6, block 7 Palmer & Sutherland's add Janesville, 1,400
John B. Randall and wife to William B. Davis, 18 acres as pt 2 1/2, ne 1/4, sec 27, town of Janesville, 1,800

THE WARD WORK IS WELL DONE

Third Ward Has a Balance of \$2,000—First and Second in Good Shape.

Notwithstanding the work that has been done in the Third ward this year, there is a balance of \$2,000 in the ward fund, which speaks well for the way in which Alderman Winslow and Alderman Luman have attended to the business of the people.

In the Second ward, the fund is also in excellent condition, a fact that should be put down to the credit of Aldermen Sutherland and Burnham.

In the First ward, many improvements have been made, but Aldermen Heddles and Stearns have invested judiciously, and value has been received, while the fund is still in a healthy condition.

These six republican representatives have served the city well, as the records will show.

STREET CARS GAYLY PAINTED.

White and Yellow Are the Colors Selected by the Directors.

When the newly painted street cars make their appearance their "new dress" will be a pleasing sight.

The committee have decided to let Mr. Kent paint all but the open car. The tire roof will be white, the first panel yellow, the second panel white and the trucks yellow.

NEWS OF THE DAY IN TOWN.

INSIST on having the "Lyonettes" and you get the best.

LADIES do not object to the aroma of the "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar.

Two good smokes at the cost of one 10-cent cigar—the "Lyonettes."

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A Majestic.

We will guarantee the Majestic range we have to be in perfect order. Only used a few weeks, and can be bought for \$19.50. Lowell, on the corner.

Tax Notice.

There remains ten days in which to pay state and county taxes for 1895. All persons interested will please take notice.

JAMES A. FATHERS, City Treasurer.

Rich Red Blood

Is the Foundation of the Wonderful Cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

That is Why the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla are CURES.

That is Why Hood's Sarsaparilla cures the severest cases of Scrofula, Salt Rheum and other blood diseases.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the only True Blood Purifier prominently in the public eye today. \$1; 5 for \$5.

Hood's Pills, easy to buy, easy to take, easy in effect. 25c.

Tonight, OUR BOYS

Don't fail to see "Ziska," the Wonderful European Mystifier.

Standing room nightly.

SPECIAL PRICES—Entire first floor 15 cents, balcony 10 cents.

Tonight.

CATARRH CATARRH

is a Local Disease and is the result of colds and sudden climatic changes.

It can be cured by a pleasant remedy which is applied directly into the nostrils.

Being quickly absorbed it gives relief at once.

Ely's Cream Balm is acknowledged to be the most thorough cure for Nasal Catarrh, Croup and Hay Fever of all remedies.

It opens and cleanses the nasal passages, always put and inflammation, breaks the sores, protects the membrane from colds, restores the sense of taste and smell.

Price 50c at Druggists or by mail.

ELY BROTHERS, 50 Warren Street, New York.

J. M. BOSTWICK

THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26 S. MAIN ST., JANESVILLE, WIS.

WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

Skirts, Wrappers, Capes.

The Latest Styles In Great Variety.



Just Come To Town—

Our early invoice of Spring wraps. Capes are the fad again. The name is the same, but the cape is changed from last year.

If you want to see the evolution in capes since last spring, come in.

If you think a style can't stale in twelve months, look at these latest charmers—you'll change your mind.

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To Meat Again...

That is if it is not too high in price.

29 North Main St....

is a Chicago packing house market with meat prices the lowest in the city. Goods received fresh daily. Don't pay too much for meat.

LOOK AT THIS LIST.

30 pounds meat for \$1.00
Shoulder Steak per lb. 7c
Best Shoulder Roast per lb. 7c
Pot Roast per lb. 6c
Corn Beef, per lb. 3 to 7c
Roast Pork, per lb. 09c
Pork Steak, 3 lbs. for 25c
Leg Mutton, Mutton chops lb. 10c
Salt Pork, per lb 8c
Lard, 3 lbs. for 25c

OTHER MEATS IN PROPORTION

TONY'S MARKET, 29 North Main St.

WE ARE IN IT!



With the finest line of—
New Hats ever shown in—
This city. Our line embraces—

Every style in both—
Soft and stiff.

We are agents for:

Knox, Longley Lord, A. Raymond & Hawes, F. P. Heid & Co.

FROM ONE DOLLAR UP.

See the styles and get a correct one at, the pushers of novelties,

KNEFF & ALLEN.

Remember

We are always at the old stand, 353 South Academy Street.

Best Beef now on the market

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

COUNTY TALES TOLD IN VERY FEW WORDS

WHAT HAS BEEN HAPPENING ROUND ABOUT JANESVILLE.

Emerald Grove Woodmen Organize—
Bronze Turkeys Shipped Across
the Sea, by Robert Lilburn—Gossip
From Porter—News of South Turtle
and South Clinton.

Emerald Grove, March 3.—A camp of
Modern Woodmen was established
here last week by L. C. Waite, of Dan-
rien. The camp has twenty-two char-
ter members. Its head officer is E. H.
Bansom, V. C. A team of Foresters
from Janesville attended. An elegant
supper was served at 9:30 by the la-
dies, to which forty-eight sat down.
The next meeting will be held March
7. The past two weeks have been re-
cord breakers for surprise parties in
this community. From one to three
at a time, and from three to six in a
week, should satisfy anyone. James
Lamb was the last victim. On Thurs-
day evening some sixty of the young
people visited Hickory Grove stock
farm, and spent the time far into the
night. At 11 o'clock a fine supper
was served under the supervision of
Mrs. McCartney (the host's worthy
housekeeper). The affair was one
of the social events of 1896.
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barless entertained
a number of their friends on Monday
evening. Mr. Kline, of the Janes-
ville Y. M. C. A. failed to appear for
services last Sunday morning as per
arrangements made with the pastor.
A large number of our prominent
farmers have made entries to the mid-
winter fair and Bradford will give her
full share of prizes if we
are not very badly mistaken.
Mr. and Mrs. James Plunty were
called to Waukesha on last Friday on
account of the dangerous illness of
their daughter, Mrs. W. Miller.
James Lilburn received an order for
Bronze turkeys the other day to be
shipped to Jamaica West India Islands.
Superintendent David Throne was a
pleasant caller on Monday. Miss
Alma Pond of Rockford and Mrs. W.
W. Gillies of Evansville are visiting
relatives in this place. Canned sal-
mon 10 cents per can. Gillies &
Jones. The creamery here for the
first half of February made 4544
pounds of butter from every one hun-
dred pounds of milk. A good average
yield. O. T. Fitch and wife are visit-
ing friends in Illinois. Frank Boss
has charge of the factory during his
absence.

THE WEEK AT PORTER.

**Frusher Children are Recovering—Other
Brief Items of Interest.**

Porter, March 3.—The Frusher chil-
dren are reported better of scarlet
fever and the quarantine has been
raised. E. G. Pound of Evansville,
was on the streets recently. Mr. and
Mrs. Branks of Evansville, spent Sun-
day here. Mr. and Mrs. D. Conway
are rejoicing over the arrival of a son
at their home. All doing well. Mr.
and Mrs. Mosher give a very pleasant
evening to some of their young
friends on Wednesday. Games,
refreshments, etc., is the program.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hoague, W. Vale,
W. Hadley, and Mr. and Mrs. Sperry
were among those represented at the
Latter Day Saints conference in Dela-
ware last of the week. Mrs. A.
Bruggemann, accompanied by her
two children, of Larchwood, Iowa, is
visiting her parental home at J. H.
Nichols. They are on their way to
Chicago where her husband has pre-
ceded her where they will locate in
one of its suburban towns. Mr. and
Mrs. E. Hughes, of Foot-
ville, spent Sunday here.
Miss Maggie Dunphy has given such
excellent satisfaction in the Eagle dis-
trict that her services have been se-
cured for the spring term. The an-
nual meeting of Eagle creamery
stockholders will be held on Saturday
evening, March 7, in the Eagle school
house. All interested are requested
to be present. John Connors and sis-
ter Lizzie of the town of Janesville,
were visitors here on last Friday.
Miss Maggie Devine of Edgerton, is
the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. Far-
rington.

Accident at South Turtle.

South Turtle, March 3.—Charles
Gault and his friend Mr. Houston,
were returning from the farmers' in-
stitute in Clinton when in some way
they tipped over jerking the lines
from Mr. Gault's hands. After a run
of some three miles the span of colts
were captured near Anderson's school
house with only a small piece of har-
ness broken. The Social Bees or
whatever they call themselves met
with Mrs. Crickett last week Tues-
day and assisted her in tying a com-
forter. Dexter Northup, who has
been visiting with his daughter for a
few days returned home Monday.
Will Williams has moved to Clinton.
Mr. Stoney is moving and will soon be
a resident of our town. Mr. Christ-
man had to divide his load of milk
and have an extra driver during the
recent bad roads.

South Clinton Gossip.

South Clinton, March 3.—Mrs. Er-
win Bates, who has been seriously
sick, is now able to look after her
work. A large number of our people
attended church in Clinton the last

Sunday in February and heard Rev.
F. N. Dexter's farewell sermon. Two
large loads of milk were stuck in the
mud near Nora creamery last week,
in spite of the fact that each had on
four horses. Roy Soper's school has
closed for vacation. The neighbor-
hood prayer meeting will be held at
Mrs. Jacket's next Friday evening.
Cyrus Gates has purchased an incu-
ba tor.

AN INTERESTING TALK TO LADIES

Luxuries of '96.
Janesville, Wis., March 3, 1896.—To
the Ladies of Janesville: Please read
this article with care. In this day of
progress, the intelligent ladies of our
country are grasping for the necessities
of life; and there is no lady of culture
that is willing to sit down in the
house and say she has finished all the
duties devolving upon her. The word
finished means more than one lady in
a thousand could comprehend; then
if we are studious, as all intelligent la-
dies are, we are daily searching for the
good and necessary useful things for
the house.

The Diamond Garment Cutting Com-
pany, of Chicago, are planning to open
a school in this city; and they invite
every intelligent lady and gentleman
to investigate their cutting system,
and they are confident that you will
say, as thousands have said, that it is
the only true and correct method of
cutting now in existence. It is one ar-
ticle that is very useful in every home.
In this school you get an education,
justly and honorably due every lady in
the land; to cut, fit, and make gar-
ments of every description that will
conform with the prevailing fashion
and fit perfectly is a most desirable
attainment. It is one that any lady
will find a valuable and economic
acquisition in her domestic education.
The Diamond garment cutter
has found its way with the homes of
the wealthiest families as well as in
the homes of those who seek for a
business enterprise.

The requirements of the present age
demand an unlimited knowledge of
how ladies should dress and use
economy and at the same time appear
in the prevailing style. Your educa-
tion in this school is unlimited and the
branch of education here taught is at
this age considered indispensable.
Every lady should teach their daugh-
ters how to cut and fit and finish
garments worn by any member of the
family.

Many think it is useless to learn to
sew. This is a sad mistake, and when
it is too late the mother so much re-
grets the painful neglect, for she
knows an idle woman is a misery to
herself and no advantage to a commu-
nity in which she lives.

We might bring to your mind fact
after fact of this great neglect of this
one thing so needful in every home,
and regret that it is not more rapidly
placed in the reach of the masses.
There are schools being organized
throughout the country as fast as the
Diamond Cutter Company can get com-
petent workers, but the Diamond Cut-
ter today is more popular than ever
before and its value is daily increas-
ing the demand for the
system. The company cannot
meet the demand for helpers.
This garment cutter has been before
the people for years, and the ladies of
Janesville can read testimonials of
many cultured ladies of our country.
You will find that the Diamond sys-
tem is now placed in many training
schools in large cities where they will
use no other.

It is no chart or paper model but
composed of fine folding square, a
curved piece or scroll, a full set of
scales, Diagram book, instruction
book, tracing wheel and tape line.
The cutter in itself is so simple that
we teach misses as young as twelve
years of age to do practical work.
We only have five measures for a
lady's dress, and every part of the
work is taught thoroughly.

The school in this city will
be conducted by Messrs. O. O. DeHav-
en and H. S. Higgins who understand
their business and are honest, upright
business men. They intend to con-
duct a school in Janesville that will be
an honor to the county and them-
selves, and a great benefit to all who
attend it. They will be assisted by
the best and oldest teachers of Chica-
go and the high art of dressmaking
will be taught in first-class style. This
is no fake, and we do sincerely beg of
you to candidly investigate the sys-
tem. The instructions you will get
in this school will be worth fifty dol-
lars to you, saying nothing of the
value of the cutter.

It not only is so, it must be so. One
Minute Cough Cure acts quickly and
that's what makes it go. C. D. Ste-
vens.

For Sale Cheap

Three good show cases.
Four lines of clerk's cash carrier
system.
One good counter. Lowell's.

WANTED.

WANTED—At once, a lady cook and a
laundress. Address Frank Kendall, Evans-
ville, Wis.

WANTED—One hundred pounds of clean
wiping rags at The Gazette press room.

WANTED—A competent girl for general
housework. No. 9 East St.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Two bellers suitable for factory
work. Inquire at this office.

HOUSE—For sale at bargain. 117 Milton
avenue.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Good house, posses-
sion April 1. Charles L. Field.

CAUCUSES CALLED FOR MARCH 12TH

REPUBLICAN PRIMARIES ARE SET FOR THAT DAY.

**Delegates Will Be Chosen To Go to
the County Convention on March
13—Where the Different Wards
Will Select Their Representatives—
The Official Call.**

Janesville republicans will meet in
caucus at the usual places a week
from tomorrow, Thursday, March 12,
to choose delegates to the county con-
vention. The official call has been
issued as follows:

Janesville City Caucuses.
Caucuses are hereby called to meet in the sev-
eral wards of the city of Janesville on the eve-
ning of Thursday, March 12th, to appoint dele-
gates to the Rock county republican convention to
be held at the court house in the city of
Janesville on Friday, March 13th. The differ-
ent wards are entitled to delegates as follows:

First ward, 7; Second ward, 5; Third ward, 7;
Fourth ward, 5; Fifth ward, 3.
The places for holding caucuses are as fol-
lows:
First Ward—West side engine house.
Second Ward—East side engine house.
Third Ward—Court house.
Fourth Ward—Council chamber.
Fifth Ward—George Kastner's office.
E. B. HEIMSTREET,
Chairman City Committee,
Dated, March 2, 1896.

**If You Have a Sick Child This Is Surely a
Message of Hope.**

This is the best of news for parents
of weakly or sickly children. It is a
fact that our people have heretofore
not had the same opportunity for hav-
ing their children who suffer from
chronic or lingering complaints treated
and cured by eminent specialists as do
the residents of the great cities where
such skilled physicians reside. In
other words our people have been
debarred from seeking a cure for their
children by the great physicians, owing
to the cost of travel to the large
city and the high fees charged by
such physicians.

Here, therefore, is a chance for the
cure of the children of our community
which should not be lost. Dr. Greene,
of 35 West 14th street, New York city,
who is beyond doubt the most success-
ful specialist in curing diseases of chil-
dren, offers to give free consultation
by mail in all cases of children's com-
plaints. Parents have the privilege
of consulting Dr. Greene by letter, de-
scribing their children's diseases and
he will, after carefully considering the
symptoms, write a letter fully explain-
ing the trouble, telling everything
about their complaint so plainly that
you will understand exactly
what ails your children. He
will also give you his advice,
founded upon his vast experience and
wonderful success in treating such
cases, as to know just what to do to
effect a cure. All this will cost you
nothing and you can thus have consul-
tation with the best known physician
and acknowledged most successful
specialist in the world without leav-
ing home and at no expense whatever.
The doctor is the discoverer of that
greatest of medicines, Dr. Greene's
Nervura blood and nerve remedy, and
has discovered many most valuable
remedies. Write to him now about
your child, for this is a chance of cure
which you may never have again.

THE "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar—a
refined smoke.

THE EVENTS TO OCCUR TONIGHT

ORDER of the Eastern Star.
PRESBYTERIAN church supper.
Odd Fellows supper and dance.
"Our Boys" at the Opera House.
WISCONSIN Lodge, No. 14 I. O. O. T.
**TARGET practice for Light Infantry-
men at the Armory.**

For men only—The "Lyonettes"
cigar

OVERLOOKED.

There Are Patent Medicines and
Remedies, Without Number

For Every Disease and Affliction But
One.

A prominent physician was recently
asked, why it was that there are so many
"blood purifiers," "nerve tonics" and re-
medies for every ill, except one of the most
common and annoying, viz: piles. He re-
plied, there are two principal reasons: first,
physicians and people in general, have
thought that the only permanent cure for
piles was a surgical operation, that medi-
cal preparations were simply palliatives. An-
other reason is, that piles is, in no sense of
the word, an imaginary disease; the suffer-
er from piles is very much aware of the
fact, and for this reason, the few so-called
pile cures, ointments, etc., have been short-
lived. The patient very soon discovered
their inefficiency.

He says further, "fortunately however,
there is a new remedy for piles, which
judging from its rapidly growing popular-
ity will soon take the place of all other
treatment; it has certainly made astonishing
cures in this obstinate disease and its merit
has made it famous among physicians and
wherever it has been introduced. This rem-
edy is sold by all druggists under the name
of Pyramid Pile Cure.

From the immediate relief which the
Pyramid Pile Cure gives in all forms of
piles, many physicians supposed it contained
opium, cocaine or some similar substance,
but upon analysis it was found to be per-
fectly free from anything of the kind, and
that the instant relief and cure which fol-
lows its use, is rather the result of its re-
markable healing, soothing action on the
parts affected.

The Pyramid Pile Cure is the only rem-
edy, except a surgical operation, which im-
mediately relieves and permanently cures
every form of piles.
It is sold by druggists at 50 cents and \$1
per box by mail from Pyramid Co., Albion, Mich.

The Finest Cake

In the World is made with

Horsford's Baking Powder.

Use one-third less quantity than other powders re-
quire and the Cake will be remarkably light, of fine
texture, and will retain its fresh condition longer
than when any other powder is used.



RESULTS—THAT'S IT.

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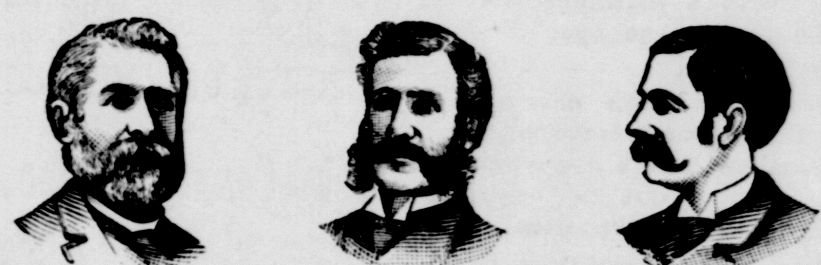
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Railroad Time Tables

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	6:35 a.m.	9:30 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	7:55 a.m.	8:25 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:40 p.m.	12:40 p.m.
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	6:40 p.m.	1:30 a.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	7:09 a.m.	6:30 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport,	2:10 p.m.	11:35 a.m.
DeKalb & Omaha line	12:23 p.m.	10:09 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Belvidere	8:25 p.m.	7:55 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac	6:40 p.m.	10:25 p.m.
Watertown, Fond Du Lac	7:00 a.m.	12:15 p.m.
Waukesha & Milwaukee	12:45 p.m.	10:40 p.m.
Watertown & Juneau Freight	4:00 p.m.	7:50 a.m.
Watertown	8:25 p.m.	7:50 a.m.
Evansville Brooklyn Oregon	6:30 a.m.	6:30 a.m.
Madison & Elroy	6:30 a.m.	6:30 a.m.
La Crosse Winona & St. Paul	10:50 a.m.	8:05 p.m.
Leyden Fellows Evansville	8:00 p.m.	12:05
Brooklyn Oregon & Madison	8:00 p.m.	12:05
Evansville Madison St. Paul	9:30 p.m.	6:35
Evansville Madison St. Paul	1:30 a.m.	6:35 p.m.
Evansville Madison & Elroy	7:30 a.m.	7:30 a.m.
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:10 p.m.	1:15 p.m.

* Daily & Sunday only.

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For.	Arrive From.
Chgo, Elgin, Rockford	11:10 p.m.	12:50 p.m.
Milwaukee Whitewater	7:00 a.m.	9:30 a.m.
Waukesha and Chi- cago	7:30 a.m.	8:40 a.m.
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madis- son	4:40 p.m.	7:45 p.m.
Edgerton, Stoughton and Madison, mixed	9:40 a.m.	9:17 a.m.
Dakota, Iowa, Des Moines and Fairview	7:00 p.m.	11:15 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	11:20 a.m.	1:08 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	9:35 a.m.	4:13 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	11:30 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	12:45 p.m.	1:30 a.m.
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford	1:30 a.m.	4:05 p.m.
Kansas City through train Beloit, Rockford, Freeport Savanna, Dubuque, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Ia. Racine, Elkhorn and Dela- ware	11:30 a.m.	4:05 p.m.
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Den- ver and west fast train	6:35 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	9:30 a.m.	9:25 a.m.
Point	11:30 a.m.	4:40 p.m.
Monroe and Mineral Pt.	6:15 a.m.	4:00 p.m.
Monroe	8:00 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
Monroe	10:00 a.m.	8:30 p.m.

MAILS ARRIVE AND CLOSE

JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South- west.	6:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
North and Northwest.	7:35 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Chicago, East, North and Northwest.	8:40 a.m.	12:00 m.
Chicago, North, East, West and General.	12:40 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
Chicago, East and all points North and West, via. Madis- son.	6:00 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
	11:50 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
SUNDAY MAILS.		
Chicago, East, South and Southwest.	6:00 a.m.	9:00 p.m.
North, Northwest, Etc.	6:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
MONDAY ONLY.		
Chicago, East, West and South.		7:00 a.m.
STATION MAILS:		
Johnstown and Richmond.	11:40 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
Emerald Grove and Fair- field.	11:40 a.m.	2:00 p.m.

THE JANESVILLE GAZETTE.

THE OFFICIAL CITY PAPER.

Entered at the post-office at Janesville, Wis., as second-class matter.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1748—Pulaski Count Casimir, American Revolutionary soldier, born in Podolia, Poland; died of battle wounds near Savannah, 1779. Count Pulaski was the son of a Polish patriot who formed the confederation of 1793. Casimir fought in that year against the Russian invaders. In battles and sieges and in daring personal exploits he won distinction as a warrior. Exiled in 1772 he settled in America and entered the patriot army. It was for his legion of horsemen that the Moravian women of Bethlehem, Pa., embroidered a banner. Longfellow wrote a stirring poem on the incident of its presentation and fate. Pulaski was mortally wounded at Savannah and it was said the banner became his winding sheet.

1835—Thomas Starr King, Unitarian preacher and most eloquent man of his time, died in San Francisco; born 1824.

1883—Alexander H. Stephens, vice president of the Confederacy, died at Atlanta; born 1812.

1888—Amos Bronson Alcott, noted American author and philosopher, died in Boston; born in Wilmot, Conn., 1791.

1892—Noah Porter, educator and ex-president of Yale college, died at New Haven; born in Farmington, Conn., 1811.

1894—James Montgomery Bailey, the Danbury News Man, humorist, author and editor, died at Danbury, Conn.; born 1841.

1895—Rev. Daniel Vrooman, a pioneer missionary in China, died in San Francisco; born 1817.

Republican Congressional Convention.

A republican convention for the First congressional district of Wisconsin will be held in the G. A. R. hall, in the city of Beloit, Wisconsin, on Tuesday, March 17, 1896, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing two delegates to the republican national convention to be held in St. Louis June 16, 1896, and two alternates, and also to nominate a candidate for presidential elector, and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the convention.

Each assembly district will be entitled to one delegate for every 250 votes cast for the republican candidate for president in 1892, and an additional delegate for a major fraction. The several assembly districts will be entitled to representation in the convention as follows: Green, 9; Kenosha, 7; Lafayette, 9; Racine, 1st district, 9; 2d district, 7; Rock, 1st district, 9; 2d district, 8; 3d district, 7; Walworth, 1st district, 7; 2d district, 8.

L. H. PARKER,
A. P. COLBY,
A. H. KRUCKMAN,
W. W. CHADWICK,
A. O. CHAMBERLAIN,
W. G. DERRICK,
Committee.

Rock County Republican Convention

A Republican County Convention is hereby called at the court house, in the city of Janesville on Friday, March 13, 1896, at 2 p. m., for the purpose of electing delegates to the state convention, to be held in Milwaukee, March 18, 1896.

This Rock county convention will elect delegates also to the congressional district convention when called, and transact such other business as proper for this convention.

The different towns and wards of Rock county will be entitled to delegates as follows: Towns of Avon, Beloit, Bradford, Harmony, Janesville, Johnston, La Prairie, Porter, two each; Center, Clinton, Lima, Magnolia, Plymouth, Porter, Turin, Union, Wisconsin, five each; Janesville, three each; Fulton, Newark, Spring Valley, First ward city of Beloit, Edgerton, four each; Second ward city of Beloit, Second and Fourth wards city of Janesville, five each; Evansville, Third and Fourth wards, city of Beloit, six each. First and Third wards city of Janesville, seven each. Milton, eight. By order County Republican Committee, W. T. VANKIRK, Chairman.

Dated Janesville, Feb. 7, 1896.

HOW IT SINKS FARMERS

Some significant figures are contained in the United States treasurer's report for the last calendar year. They are timely in connection with the farm problems that are being discussed this week. They give the first fair showing that anybody has been able to make of the comparative condition of the country under the Wilson and the McKinley laws. This is the way the figures run:

IMPORTS OF FARM PRODUCTS.

McKinley law.	Wilson law
year 1894.	year 1895.
Hides.....	\$17,704,337
Tobacco.....	11,001,793
Wines.....	6,739,425
Wool.....	6,107,438
Leather.....	4,508,330
Cotton (manufactured).....	3,010,265
Rice.....	2,464,226
Animals.....	2,411,696
Feeds.....	2,395,037
Breadstuffs (all).....	1,831,317
Provisions (all).....	1,737,848
Flax (manufactured).....	1,336,845
Cheese.....	1,247,198
Hay.....	761,937
Wheat.....	761,177
Feathers.....	729,692
Hops.....	484,415
Barley.....	358,744
Hemp.....	239,983
Eggs.....	199,536

EXPORTS OF FARM PRODUCTS.

McKinley law.	Wilson law
year 1894.	year 1895.
Cotton.....	\$210,869,236
Breadstuffs (all).....	166,774,552
Provisions (all).....	145,322,272
Wheat.....	69,271,769
Wheat.....	49,878,041
Lard.....	49,089,721
Bacon.....	38,338,357
Animals (all).....	35,698,189
Cattle.....	33,455,692
Corn.....	30,211,151
Beef.....	16,636,583
Oil cake and meal.....	8,807,307
Seeds (all).....	7,941,332
Cheese.....	7,180,232
Distilled spirits.....	5,676,937
Pork.....	5,067,774
Clover seed.....	4,540,832
Hides.....	3,972,487
Hops.....	3,644,194
Tallow.....	2,766,164
Flaxseed.....	2,426,248
Barley.....	2,379,714
Sugar and molasses.....	2,219,265
Oats.....	2,027,914
Vegetables.....	1,740,904
Hay.....	830,593
Broom corn.....	210,742
Eggs.....	126,532

It will be noticed that in every article on the list, there has been a direct loss to this country since the December tariff policy was inaugurated. The imports of farm products have more than doubled, while the exports have fallen off by \$83,000,000. The figures demonstrate more clearly than ever how disastrous the commitment of the government to the democratic party has been.

STILL AFTER SEEDS.

The seed craze keeps up just as in years gone by. It puts congressmen in a trying position as indicated by Congressman Cooper's letter to The Gazette. Mr. Cooper says: House of Representatives, U. S., Washington, D. C., February 29, 1895. Editor Janesville Gazette: Sir:—In common with other mem-

bers of congress, I have for some time past been in the daily receipt of a number of applications for seeds from the Department of Agriculture and write this in explanation of my inability to comply with the requests of my constituents in that regard.

Against the determined opposition of the secretary of agriculture, the 53d congress incorporated in the agricultural bill for the current fiscal year the usual provision for an expenditure for the purchase and distribution of seeds, but so far the secretary has refused to execute this section of the law; and though the matter has been taken up in congress, and vigorous action is being taken thereupon, nevertheless I regret to say that it is extremely doubtful whether the required purchase and distribution can be brought about in time for the spring planting. Very truly yours, H. A. COOPER.

Janesville has shown what she can do when the business men work together without regard to east and west side. Some day the lesson will be so impressed on the city that people will be ashamed to think of anything but the common interest and local strife will be put down as unpatriotic.

Governor Upham was strongly impressed by the showing Rock county farmers made at the midwinter fair. He went away from Janesville thoroughly satisfied with the work the farm institutes are doing.

THE NEWS OF THE CITY

THE "Lyonettes" are union made.

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A SOCIETY smoke, the "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar.

CHILDREN's best rubbers for 23 cents at Brown Bros. & Lincoln's.

LADIES' storm rubbers 43 cents at Brown Bros. & Lincoln's.

WE sell a very neat maceon or blue sweater for 50 cents. T. J. Zeigler.

YOU can buy a first-class lady's rubber at Brown Bros. & Lincoln's for 33 cents.

DON'T forget we have the most swell line of top and spring overcoats in town. T. J. Zeigler.

WE'RE unloading one thousand pairs of \$3.50, \$3 and \$2.50 at \$2 this week. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

ITS dead sure that Rosenfeld will go out of the retail clothing business. Read his large local on page five.

FLANNELS will be easy to obtain at the fire and water sale of damaged goods tomorrow. Bort, Bailey & Co.

HOSIERY and underwear are going at almost half price during our special winter sale of dry goods. T. P. Burns.

IF you are in search of a spring suit call and see what you can get for \$10 of Adler Bros.' make; we are long on this price suit this year. Frank H. Baack.

WE are not juggling with the truth. The prices we are giving you now are for cash and much lower than we possibly sell on credit. Lowell Hardware Co.

THE time to economize is when the opportunity is held out to you. Stylish winter cloaks still go at one fourth price during the special sale. T. P. Burns.

ROSENFELD has always carried the finest clothing manufactured, and every dollar's worth of it can be relied upon. He is going out of business. See his large local on page five.

TRY the "Elsendath" asbestos never burn or never wear out glove for hard wear, \$1 is the price. They please every purchaser which is something very rare for any make of gloves. F. H. Baack.

WE have got something to blow hard about in our Giant shirt for 50 cents. It is making so many friends for us we can't help it. People are wearing it that have always paid \$1 for no better quality or fit. It is money saved in every one a man buys. F. H. Baack.

SPRAGUE, Warner & Co., are furnishing their famous Diamond brand Java and Mocha coffee to the cooking school conducted by Mrs. Jamison at the Farm Institute and also to Prentice & Evenson who are serving to the farmers free today.

The Fire and Water Damaged Goods.

We shall place on a separate counter all the goods damaged by our late fire and mark them 25 per cent., 50 per cent. and 75 per cent. on a dollar according to the amount of damage received. The lot consists of all wool baby flannels and shaker flannels, bleached and unbleached cotton flannels, outing flannels, twilled and plain red flannels, wide striped skirting flannels, colored fancy tickings, colored cotton shirtings, silent cloth for dining tables, the above list was not badly damaged and is very cheap at the prices we make them. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Don't Fool.

Don't fool yourself with the idea that gold dollars are being sold for ninety cents. We don't make any statements that we can't fulfill. You will find us first, last and all the time, giving more real value for the money than any loud talkers.

First Premium.

We are sure of first premium on our line of Keith's needle toe patent leather shoes. If you want the newest style shoe on the street come to us. If you want an old style we can tell you where to get it. We sell 'em for \$5 now! They are superb. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

SOLD on its merits—The "Lyonettes" 5 cent cigar.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

FIRE AND WATER!

TOMORROW morning we will place on sale the entire line of goods damaged by fire and water, Feb. 22d, at prices that will close out the stuff at once. The quantity is limited and if you want any of it it will be to your advantage to come in the morning. It will all be placed on a separate counter and marked at

25, 50 and 75 per cent on a dollar according to the amount of damage.

THE LOT CONSISTS OF:

Outing and domet cotton flannels,
All wool and part wool baby flannels,
All wool and part wool Shaker flannels,
Bleached and unbleached cotton flannels,
Colored fancy tickings,
Colored cotton shirtings,
Silent cloth for dining tables,
Wide striped skirting flannels,
Twilled and plain red flannels,

And many other broken lines. Only the ends of the above were damaged. If you are looking for bargains come to our store tomorrow morning and you will not be disappointed.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

To Be Married April 6.
New York, March 4.—Ex-President Harrison said yesterday that his marriage with Mrs. Dimmick will take place on April 6 in St. Thomas' church in this city. The rector of that church, the Rev. Dr. John Wesley Brown, will officiate.

WANTED—Seven or eight room house, located not too far from the Richardson Shoe Co. store. H. M. Edwards.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Rock County National Bank,

At Janesville, in the State of Wisconsin, at the close of business February 28, 1896:

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts.....	\$250,437.68
Overdrafts secured and unsecured.....	53.71
U. S. bonds to secure circulation.....	25,000.00
Stocks, Securities, etc.....	6,000.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	1,000.00
Due from state banks and bankers.....	14,212.30
Due from approved reserve agents.....	32,243.83
Checks and other cash items.....	1,188.78
Notes of other national banks.....	6,379.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....	53.85
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: Special tender notes.....	54,000.00
Legal tender notes.....	5,000.00—\$2,900.00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation).....	625.00
	\$397,573.15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund.....	30,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	15,699.98
National bank notes outstanding.....	22,000.00
Individual deposits, subject to check.....	\$184,394.68
Demand certificates of deposit.....	46,678.59
	230,473.17
Total.....	\$397,573.15

STATE OF WISCONSIN, ss
County of Rock.

I, A. P. Burnham, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
A. P. BURNHAM,
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th day of March, 1896.
SILAS HAYNER,
Notary Public for Wisconsin.

Correct—attest—C. S. JACKMAN,
B. B. ELDRIDGE,
C. W. JACKMAN,
Directors.

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FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP
Satisfaction guaranteed in Style, Prices and Finish.
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Some Have Their Sorrows

....And Some Have Their Pleasures.

I have have had my sorrows, and am now having the greatest pleasure I ever experienced in seeing in seeing the many of my customers carrying off such large bundles as they are now during our great cut price sale.

Remember==

my stock must be reduced, and prices have got to do it. Sixty days' time is short, and prices will have to be made low enough to to carry the goods away.

A Full Line

of ready made Clothing of choicest make, and Hats and Caps of latest styles, also Furnishing Goods. Everything in stock goes to make the room I must have.

FIRST COME---FIRST SERVED.

Don't be the last, but be one of the number who carries away a bargain.

R. M. BOSTWICK,

No. 16 South Main Street.

WIDE AWAKE MEN WITH MANY ????

FARM INSTITUTE DEVELOPS HOT DISCUSSIONS.

Award of a Windmill For the Best Answer on the Wool Tariff—Many of the Premiums Sent Out This Afternoon—Much Work for the Secretary.

A court-room full of farmers kept up a rattling, snapping fire of questions this morning.

Speakers were kept on the alert. No assertion went unquestioned. No point was overlooked.

An encouraging sign was the number of wide-awake farmer boys, who followed each discussion, note-books in hand.

D. F. Sayre talked of hard times on the farm and pointed out changes that lower prices and closer margins made necessary. His talk was full of good points and was followed by a lively discussion.

Potato raising was discussed by George Goocher who held that if modern machinery were used potatoes were a profitable crop. Labor-saving methods were an absolute necessity.

Make Stock Fit the Market.

"The Sheep" was a topic that gave Superintendent McKerrow a chance to urge adaptation of means to end, and to raise stock that suited local conditions. If there was no larger money in wool then the mutton grades be chosen. Careful selection of the sire was urged as the great step in grading up a herd to a profitable basis. Mr. McKerrow wanted Rock county farmers to stick to whatever line of stock raising they chose—to stick through high markets, low markets, dull markets and active markets. The continued experience with one line of stock could not fail to prove profitable in the long run.

"The man who sells his sheep and buys cows as soon as beef goes up will not make money," said the speaker. "He will sell his cows and buy horses when horses are high and will be selling his horses and buying sheep again when horses go down and sheep go up. That man will always have his dish upside down when it rains porridge."

Hearty Thanks For Janesville.

Resolutions of thanks to the citizens of Janesville were adopted with a shout. They were offered by J. B. Humphrey of Rock and were seconded by half a dozen others.

Superintendent McKerrow followed the reading of the resolution by warm commendation of the work done by Ogden H. Fethers, regent of the state university. Mr. Fethers refused to accept the credit and declared it belonged to the committee of sixteen. Superintendent McKerrow said it occurred to him that the press, too, had done great work.

The Afternoon Session.

Charles Thorp spoke on "Milk Tests" in the afternoon and A. C. Powers, who has done hard work for the good road cause gave figures on the extravagant cost of mud and pitchholes when hauling was to be done. He convinced a good many of his hearers that money could not be invested to better advantage than in improving highways. There was considerable discussion of methods.

A. A. Arnold and A. J. Phillips were also on the afternoon program, one speaking on "The Hog" and the other on "Apples."

Horticulturalists to Meet.

EDITOR GAZETTE—A horticultural meeting will be held this evening at the court house at 7:30 o'clock and addresses will be made by A. J. Phillips, secretary of the state society and by other prominent horticulturalists. The questions for consideration will deal with tree fruits, small fruits, shade and lawn trees, roses and ornamental shrubs.

GEORGE J. KELLOGG, Pres. Janesville Horticultural Society.

A GENUINE SALE.

Rosenfeld Will Be Closed Out in a Few Months.

Clothing of all kinds and quite furnishing are going fast at Rosenfeld's going out of business sale, and sixty or ninety days at the outside will find the entire stock sold. This sale is not conducted in the manner of a number that have been in progress in the city, no addition to stock is being made. Rosenfeld is going to quit the retail clothing trade, in fact, has accepted a position with a house and says if the goods won't all sell at the prices he is knocking them down to the people here, they will take them some place and close them out. But there is no use of taking them away. Prices are cost and less than cost in many cases and people are finding out that Rosenfeld's statement is correct. That is the reason business is rushing at such a rate. Mr. Kleebe, an old clothing salesman, an employee at one time of Child's & Co. of this city, has been added to the force and customers can be waited on without the slightest delay. Come soon while the assortment and sizes are unbroken. Rosenfeld will guarantee to save you money on anything he has in stock.

Fire And Water.

Tomorrow morning we will place on sale the entire line of goods damaged by fire and water February 22. We want to close the stuff out at once and make prices on the entire lot that will do it. The quantity is limited so if you wish to take advantage of the reductions and bargains come early in the day. Bort, Bailey & Co.

LOCAL ST. PAUL section crews are now working in the vicinity of New Glarus.

ECHOS OF THE DAY IN TOWN

TONIGHT "Our Boys" at the Myers Grand.

Boys' shoes at cost. Becker & Woodruff.

FOR SALE—Dry kindling. Thoroughgood & Co.

The Salzer seed car left this morning for Monroe.

WANTED—Every one to try the "Lyonettes" cigar.

This is the meeting night for Janesville Chapter O. E. S.

WISCONSIN Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F. will meet tonight.

CHARLTON & Dawson shipped two horses north last evening.

\$1.25 and \$1.50 oxfords 49 cents a pair for three days. Lowell.

CHOICE of shoes reduced to \$2.00 a pair at Minor's going out sale.

A CIGAR for the educated smoker—The "Lyonettes" 5 cent.

EVERY dealer has the "Lyonettes" 5-cent cigar. Ask for them.

LOCAL warehouses received large quantities of tobacco today.

CALF shoes for men that were \$4, now \$2. Becker & Woodruff.

INVITATIONS have been issued by the butchers for their coming ball.

MEN'S easy slippers from 50 cents to \$1.25. Becker & Woodruff.

The regular quarterly inspection of local telephones took place today.

PLAIN and turtle neck sweaters from 50 cents to \$1.50 each at Ziegler's.

J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS have received a large shipment of wrappers.

A SOCIAL will be given at the Union Catholic League hall tomorrow evening.

SKELLY & Wilbur's delivery horse came away on South Jackson street today.

SUPPER will be served and a dance will be given at the Odd Fellows hall tonight.

J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS show the leading styles in new spring garments.

New benches have been placed in the bath department of the Y. M. C. A. building.

ONE thousand pair of shoes to pick from, the cost to you \$2. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

TWINS arrived at the suburban home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jorsch this morning.

"OUR BOYS" will be presented by the Vincent-Streeter Company at the opera house tonight.

FIRE and water damaged goods must all be sold tomorrow. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE visiting hours at the Oak Lawn hospital are on Tuesday's and Friday from 10 to 4 p. m.

FORTY passengers arrived today to attend the fair, on the St. Paul road's Mineral Point train.

LADIES the shoes that cost you \$4 formerly, you can now buy for \$2. Becker & Woodruff.

BORT, Bailey & Co's fire sale takes place tomorrow. Read our large ad. for further information.

THE Presbyterian church ladies will serve supper at the church parlors from 5:30 to 7:30 tonight.

J. G. DeLONG sprained his ankle while playing basket ball last evening at the Y. M. C. A. building.

ROSENFELD is having a rushing trade at present. His going out of business sale with cost prices to match.

ONLY five days more in which to buy \$3.50, \$3.00 and \$2.50 cent shoe for \$2.00. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

THE Presbyterian ladies will serve a supper in the church parlors on Wednesday, from 5:30 to 7:30; 25 cents.

This week I reduce the price of any shoe in the store to \$2.00. Come and take your choice Minor's Out Sale.

CLOTHING has had a number of special sales this season but none so genuine as that of Rosenfeld on the bridge.

SMITH'S orchestra returned home this morning from Evansville, where they played last evening for a private party.

\$6.50 we asked for those needle toe enamel shoes the first of the season. They are reduced now to \$4.50. Becker & Woodruff.

As will be seen by a notice published on page 3, the republican caucuses have been called for Thursday evening, March 12.

THE Light Infantry will indulge in target practice at the Armory tonight, and the result will settle the make-up of the company's team.

J. M. BOSTWICK & SONS show the leading line of women's separate skirts. Wide range of prices. Their \$2.75 skirt is a wonder.

THE Knights of Pythias and their ladies enjoyed a social dancing party at Castle hall last evening, and all had a very pleasant time until midnight.

OUR top coats cannot be excelled by any coat the tailor can make you. They are of the "Stein Bloch" make. We want you to see them whether you buy or not. T. J. Ziegler.

NEARLY one thousand people visited the Myers Grand last night to see the Streeter Vincent company play Inshavogue and yet the Court House and McKee store had standing room only signs out.

WANTED PARTNER—With small capital to continue a good paying shoe business. Young man with a little money and a good deal of push will be given and a good chance at Minor's on the bridge.

THE sale of my shoe stock is off. The parties could not get the money so down goes the price, 20 per cent reduction this week. \$2.00 takes your choice of any shoe in the store. Come and get a pair of \$4.00 or \$5.00 shoes for \$2.00. At Minor's Out Sale.

PRIZES AWARDED IN MANY CLASSES

WINDMILL FOR THE BEST TARIFF ARTICLE.

S. H. Joiner Is the Winner—Charles I. Sloan Is the Wisest Farmer—Annabel Little the Prettiest Girl Attending the Fair—Prize Corn and Potatoes.

Superintendents and committee men were busy at the McKee store all day looking after the awarding of premiums. There had been so little time for preliminary arrangements that confusion was feared, and the fact that so little resulted was a happy surprise. The culinary department presented the greatest difficulties. There were one hundred and fifty entries in the doughnut class, one hundred and twenty-five in the soda biscuit class, and other classes in proportion. The men who judged corn and potatoes also had trouble, for the display of corn drawn out by the Janesville Machine Company's offer, stretched from one end of the store to the other and the display of potatoes was almost as big.

Answers to the Globe Works tariff problem were read by F. M. Marzluft. Six contestants stated in one hundred words each why Rock county should favor a wool tariff. Their papers were given to S. C. Carr, James Monst and A. C. Powers to be judged.

Windmill for S. H. Joiner.

S. H. Joiner of La Prairie, got the wind mill, the result being announced at 3 o'clock. His answer was read again, then was greeted with cheers. It was as follows:

"Every farmer should raise sheep. The principal reason is that they benefit the land more than any other animal. They would raise them if the price of wool was on a paying basis. It would be if there was a high tariff. There should be nearly or quite a prohibitory tariff. Then the extra price for wool would benefit all farmers. They are nearly or quite one and one-half the population. Then the increased amount of labor required to manufacture all the wool which would be raised here would benefit the majority of the people. What applies to the whole country applies to Rock county."

C. I. Sloan the Wisest Farmer

The vote on the wisest farmer in Rock county, the prize being a big owl, resulted as follows:

C. I. Sloan, 11,023; Charles Randall, 1,619; Ezra Goodrich, 1,482.

The vote on the most popular farmer stood:

James Scott, 3,978; A. C. Powers, 2,732; G. A. Proctor, 2,647; Ole Rowe, 1,118; J. D. Little, 1,112.

There were 1,328 beans in the guessing jar and S. M. Fisher won first prize by guessing 1,313. S. H. Joiner guessed 1,350. Mrs. C. L. Field guessed 1,323 but was not in the regular competition, because of living in the city.

E. T. Hoskins got first prize for guessing the nearest to the exact number, forty of varieties in the seed jar. Clarence Terry was second.

Pretty Girls Were Shy.

The judges had to go out and round up the pretty girls so shy were they all. The first prize was given to Annabel Little, town of Janesville, second prize to Loretta Inman, Hanover, and third prize to May Hodge, town of Janesville.

Some of the other awards were:

For the Young Lady with Longest Hair—Carrie McCartney, hair thirty-six inches long.

Best Bushel of Corn—Wm. Ashby.

Best Bag of Potatoes—George Radle.

Best Bushel of Barley—Josiah Auld.

Tallest Young Lady—Ella McArthur, 5 feet 10 inches and Alice Little, 5 feet 9 inches. Ella Pierce, who is 5 feet 11 inches, was barred because of living here.

Tallest Man—John Guerin, 6 feet 8 inches; William Fisher, 6 feet 4 inches.

Heaviest Man—George James, 327 pounds; J. Lavin, 287 pounds.

Oldest Married Couple—James Hadden and wife, each eighty-two years of age; C. S. Decker and wife, seventy-six and seventy-three.

Best looking young lady between six and ten years—Zena Babyer, Nellie Decker.

Awards Nearly All Made.

Most of the awards had been made by 2 o'clock this afternoon, but it was impossible to prepare a list, and it is probable that the secretary will not be able to draw off the names of the winners before the last of the week.

The premiums were given out, however, as fast as the premium tags were presented, and as nearly as possible everything will be closed up by this evening.

The liberality with which premiums had been given was one of the things that attracted attention from the opening of the fair.

All who attended the fair agreed that Janesville does not do things by halves.

BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

We carry several styles of bicycle and golf suits made up from fancy plaids and stripes in chevrons. Very nifty. Call and see them. T. J. Ziegler.

On page 8 you will notice the new shapes of the Stetson hats we are showing for spring wear. Stetson or Miller if you want to be strictly in it. T. J. Ziegler.

THE Pomona Grange will meet with Du Lac Grange at Milton Junction, Wednesday March 11, instead of Janesville Grange hall as announced last week.

THE PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

FRANK GAGAN spent the day in Clinton.

A. M. DAVIS of Madison, visited the fair today.

O. WALK, of Stoughton, attended the fair yesterday.

W. I. DODGE, of Madison, registered at the Grand today.

M. F. LATHERS, of Beloit, visited friends in the city today.

MR. and Mrs. L. R. Strong spent the day with local friends.

WILL HARDEN, of Clinton, came up to take part in the fair.

G. A. BRANETT, of Port Atkinson, attended the fair today.

CONTRACTOR D. STEWART spent the day at Palmyra on business.

MISS LILLIE STOCKMAN, of Milton, is the guest of Miss Matie Kirk.

MRS. PLINY NOECROSS spent the day with friends in Stoughton.

MR. and Mrs. A. W. Palmer of Brodhead, spent the day in the city.

J. G. BABCOCK and C. J. Doolittle of Evansville, attended the fair today.

THOMAS COLE of Dixon, Ill., was registered at the Park house today.

C. W. CHILDS of Edgerton, inquired into the local tobacco markets today.

P. J. RICE visited Burlington today, in the interest of Marzluft & Company.

ORVILLE COX, of Hinckley Minn., was registered at Holt's hotel today.

WALLACE BROWN of Edgerton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. De Long.

W. G. ALLEN and S. P. Critchell of Beloit, admired the mid-winter fair today.

ARTHUR BABBITT, son of Ex-Congressman Babbitt attended the fair yesterday.

W. L. SWIFT, editor of the Tomahawk Blade, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Swift.

MR. and Mrs. J. C. Chadwick have returned to Monroe, after a short visit with Janesville friends.

THOMAS RILEY, who now makes Chicago his headquarters, was greeting old friends in the city today.

MISS ANNIE PHILLIPS of Mineral Point, and worthy grand matron of the Eastern Star lodge, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baack.

JOHN WELCH and daughter Nellie returned yesterday from a two months' visit at Dallas and Fort Worth, Tex. and Hot Springs, Ark.

MISS MAY NORRIS, stenographer for Sutherland and Nolan, went to report a case before the county court of Jefferson county. She left on this morning's train.

CLARENCE H. WILLIAMS, a member of the Arlington quartet, of Milwaukee, and a composer of a number of popular songs, spent last evening in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Putnam.

BENEATH A CLOUD OF SORROW

Funeral of Mrs. Seecrest.

The funeral of Mrs. Noah Seecrest was held from the Methodist church in the town of Plymouth, yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Kasper of Footville, officiating. The song service was rendered by Miss Lulu Deckerhammer, Miss Inman, Mrs. Kasper and Ira Inman with Mrs. Munson as organist. The pall bearers were John Inman, C. Deckerhammer, R. Bills, John Hanson, F. Turner and N. Hogan.

Mrs. Ellen M. Forrest.

Mrs. Ellen M. Forrest died yesterday morning at her home in Johnstown, aged thirty-four years and six months, of pneumonia. Besides a husband she leaves four sons and three daughters. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from the Johnstown Center church at 2 o'clock and the interment will be at Johnstown.

NEW TIES THIS WEEK

A BEAUTIFUL LINE OF

STIFF

HATS

— OF THE —

J. B. Stetson make

In \$3.00 \$4.00 and \$5.00 qualities

Shapes to please every taste in

BLACK, PANSY and ANGORA SHADES.

Watch our window for new styles in

HATS, NECKWEAR AND WOOLENS....

J. L. FORD & SON.

Over Mrs. Woodstock's millinery store. HOURS: 10 to 12 a. m. 1 to 5 p. m. Janesville, Wis. West Milwaukee street.

GOOD HAUL MADE BY BOLD ROBBERS

FOOTVILLE POSTOFFICE WAS LOOTED LAST NIGHT.

Thieves Got \$275 Worth of Stamps, and Made Their Escape, Leaving No Clue Behind—Chief Acheson Has Been Notified To Be on the Watch.

Footville people were "brought to all standing" this morning.

"The postoffice has been robbed!" was the statement that passed from lip to lip and caused the eyes of the villagers to stick out.

And it had.

\$275 worth of stamps had been taken, and the thieves then made their escape. No clue was left behind, but the work was said to be that of experts. Nothing was taken except stamps and the robbers did not seem to be after anything else. Chief Acheson was notified by telegram this morning. The dispatch did not give any details, but simply said:

FOOTVILLE, MARCH 4, 1896. CHIEF OF POLICE JANESVILLE, WIS.—Post Office, Footville robbed of \$275 in stamps.

A. WALSH, P. M.

The robbery was discovered by Mrs. Anastasia Walsh at 8 o'clock this morning. Entrance had been forced by prying up a window with a crow bar.

Free Reading Matter Coupons.

The following firms will give 5 per cent in cash on all cash purchases made by holders of the F. R. M. coupons. Get hard cash with each purchase and buy your own reading matter.

T. J. Ziegler.

King & Skelly.

Prentice & Evenson,

W. T. Sherer & Co.,

E. B. Heimstreet,

E. O. Smith & Co.,

George King & Co.,

Janesville Steam Laundry,

J. B. Minor,

J. D. Holmes,

Stearns & Baker,

Rich & Davis.

Grand Concert.

The Glee Club at the School for the Blind will give a grand concert at Court Street M. E. church next Monday evening. A choice programme has been prepared. Admission, 25 cents; children, 15 cents.

THE "Lyonettes" cigars are complaint proof.

ROYAL

BAKING

POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

After examining samples of the leading brands of baking powder I have arrived at the conclusion that the Royal is superior in purity, leavening power and keeping qualities. It is a cream of tartar powder, entirely free from alum, lime, ammonia, and all deleterious ingredients.

GEORGE S. COX, Wisconsin State Chemist

No wheels run so smoothly as the

Crescent

And no other is so perfectly adapted for use by women.

Before deciding upon your mount for '96, call and see them.

\$75, \$50, \$40.

A. H. SHELDON & CO.

R. R. FOWELL,

DENTIST,

Over Mrs. Woodstock's millinery store. HOURS: 10 to 12 a. m. 1 to 5 p. m. Janesville, Wis. West Milwaukee street.

What Dr. O. G. Bennett, Janesville, says:

"Knowing the composition of the 'Prentice Tooth Powder,' I do not

ABOUT TEXAS GEESE.

Remarkable Intelligence Displayed as Reported by a Citizen.

"I have been having a good deal of trouble lately with the birds on my goose ranch," said Col. Stitt-Floyd of Wharton, Tex., to a Washington Star reporter.

"I had an order for 1,000 dozen goose eggs, and my troubles all arose in trying to fill that order. It is the first time I ever attempted to market any eggs, always heretofore relying on the sale of feathers and live birds for my profit.

"This is the laying and hatching season with us and I thought I would have no trouble to get eggs enough to fill the order. Now, a hen, you know, will let you rob her nest right along, just so you leave one egg. It is supposed that a hen has no idea whatever of numbers. But this is not true of Madam Goose, as I found out to my sorrow.

"The first two or three days we secured a big batch of fresh eggs, but after that the 'find' began to dwindle down so fast that I determined to make a personal investigation. I went down to the river bottom next day and found that instead of being off attending to business, all the geese which were not sitting had 'flocked' and were roving about feeding, just as if they never expected to lay another egg. When I approached them, instead of running away they all sat down and began to hiss at me.

"It was a clear case of strike and I was at a loss to know how to settle the trouble. I tried putting half a dozen porcelain eggs in each nest, but it would not work. The geese came up, eyed them solemnly and walked off. Then, in despair, I told the boys to put the eggs we had gathered back and see if it would break the strike.

"Well, sir, inside of two hours after the eggs were returned every goose was back on her nest, and for the next four or five days there were more eggs laid on the Floyd ranch than there had been before in years, but I dare not undertake to fill the egg order."

BEHIND THE BARS.

How Mopsa Was Cared for While Its Owner Was Away.

We know what we ask our friends to do for us, but we seldom know all the deviations which are made from the original instructions. In a fashionable Chicago flat a few months ago the society dame who was going to the seashore left her beloved poodle, Mopsa, in charge of her nearest, dearest friend in the flat, who was not going away. Elaborate directions were conveyed as to what Mopsa was to be fed and how often—when she was to be bathed and combed—how carefully she must be kept from roaming the streets, and so on. The faithful friend seemed devoted to the charge, and Mopsa's mistress went away with a mind at ease. On her return Mopsa was delivered in good health and spirits, but—oh! frightfully gone off in her looks, towzled and ragged—not at all the aristocratic dog of former days. One day her mistress said:

"Maria, I can't stand it any longer—do tell me what you did to Mopsa while I was gone? She looks horrid."

"Julia, she was such nuisance, always running out when the doors were open, so I kept her in my old bird cage."

—Philadelphia Times.

Illinois Dairymen to Meet.

Princeton, Ill., March 3.—The annual convention of the Illinois State Dairymen's association will convene in this city Wednesday and continue three days. The meetings will be held in Apollo opera house, which has a seating capacity of 1,600, and extensive arrangements are being made for the accommodation of the guests. The display of dairy products promises to be far above the average. Ex-Gov. Hoard of Wisconsin and other prominent men have signified their intention to be present and deliver addresses.

If you have got a small foot we can sell you a \$2.50, \$3, and \$3.50 shoe at 98 cents. Brown Bros. & Lincoln.

A Cold Cure For Ten Cents.

Three little tablets, each a separate prescription that together will cure a cold in one night. "Cold Crackers" are for sale at all druggists. Perfectly harmless. Certain to cure.

J. W. Pierce, Republic, Ia., says: "I have used one minute Cough Cure in my family and for myself, with results so entirely satisfactory that I can hardly find words to express myself as to its merit. I will never fail to recommend it to others, on every occasion that presents itself." C. D. Stevens.

If the Baby is Cutting Teeth.

Be sure and use that old and well-tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Quick in effect, heals and leaves no scar. Burning, scaly eruptions quickly cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Applied to burns, scalds, old sores, it is magical in effect. Always cures piles. C. D. Stevens.

For Ocean Steamship Tickets

Via the Beaver Line from Montreal-Quebec to Liverpool, or via any steamship line crossing the Atlantic, at lowest rates for first cabin, second cabin and steerage, both outward and prepaid, apply to P. L. Hinrichs, agent, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry., at Janesville, Wis., or address C. F. Wenham, Gen'l Steamship Agent, 48 Adams St., Chicago, Ill.

SMOKERS will find Sweet Moments cigarettes to be the best. Sell everywhere.



Healthy, happy children make better men and women of us all. A little care and a little planning before birth is often more important than anything that can be done after.

On the mother's health and strength depend the life and the future of the children. A weak and sickly woman cannot bear strong and healthy children. Most of the weakness of women is utterly inexcusable. Proper care and proper medicine will cure almost any disorder of the feminine organism. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been tested in thirty years of practice. It is healing, soothing, strengthening. It is perfectly natural in its operation and effect.

By its use, thousands of weak women have been made strong and healthy—have been made the mothers of strong and healthy children. Taken during gestation, it makes childbirth easy and almost painless and insures the well being of both mother and child.

Your Stomach Distresses You

after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.

RIPANS TABULES

Promote Digestion, Regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Purify the Blood, and are a Positive Cure for Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, and all other Diseases arising from a disordered condition of the Liver and Stomach. They act gently yet promptly, and perfect digestion follows their use. Ripans Tablets take the place of an Entire Medicine Chest, and should be kept for use in every family.

Price, 50 Cents a box. At Druggists, or by mail, RIPANS CHEMICAL CO., 10 SPRUCE ST., NEW YORK.

Expert Opinion

The Canadian Government recently sent an appraiser to the principal bicycle factories in this country, to determine the exact value of various makes for import into Canada. After an exhaustive investigation, his report to his Government rated

Columbia Bicycles

7½ per cent. higher than any other make and they pay duty accordingly. This but confirms the popular verdict. Columbias are.



STANDARD OF THE WORLD. Unequalled, Unapproached.

Beautiful Art Catalogue of Columbia and Hartford Bicycles is free if you call upon any Columbia agent; by mail from us for two 2-cent stamps.

POPE MANUFACTURING CO. Factories and General Offices, Hartford, Conn.

Branch Stores and Agencies in almost every city and town. If Columbias are not properly represented in your vicinity let us know.

ONE MINUTE COUGH CURE

cures quickly. That is what it was made for. Prompt, safe, sure, quick relief, quick cure. Pleasant to take. Children like it and adults like it. Mothers buy it for their children.

Prepared by E. O. DeWitt & Co., makers of DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills.

J. F. SPOON & CO.

are prepared to deliver all kinds of feed also

HAY STRAW

to any part of the city. Leave orders at elevator on corner North River Street and Mineral Point avenue at Sainborn's Grocery or store.

SEALED PROPOSALS—Office of the Board of Regents, University of Wisconsin, Madison, February 7, 1896. Sealed proposals are invited by the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin, and will be received until 12 o'clock noon March 6, 1896, for the construction of repairs, alterations and addition to ladies' hall on the University grounds at Madison, Wisconsin. Proposals will be received for the complete work, and also for each class of work. Plans and specifications can be seen at the office of Ferry & Clas, architects, Milwaukee, Wis., at the office of the Board of Regents, Law building, Madison, Wis., at the office of Regent Frank Chalmers, Oshkosh, Wis., and at the office of President William P. Bartlett, 419 South Barstow street, Eau Claire, Wis.

Each proposal must be accompanied with a certified check for 2 per cent. of the amount of the bid, payable to the order of E. F. Riley, secretary; to be forfeited to the Board of Regents in case the bidder or bidders chosen fail to enter into contract with the board and furnish satisfactory bond for the proper execution of the same within five (5) days after the acceptance of his proposal.

Bids must be sealed and addressed to the undersigned, and upon the envelope show name and address of the bidder and marked "Proposal for—work, Ladies' Hall." The Board of Regents reserve the right to reject any or all bids, or to accept any bid or combination of bids which the regents may deem to their advantage.

By order of the Board of Regents, E. F. RILEY, Secretary, Madison, Wis.

First Display of

Spring Wraps

For the two days of Janesville's Mid-Winter Fair and Institute,

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY,

March 3d and 4th.

CAPES,

JACKETS,

SEPARATE SKIRTS,

READY MADE DRESSES.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

Spring

Announcement...

We have, for spring, a well selected stock, up to your requirements, and at prices within everyone's means. We offer you in our spring selection—although a trifle early—Adler Bros.' specialties which are art in style, skill in manufacture, and high merit in quality. It is a pleasure to refer to these facts. In calling your attention to our new line of

Men's and Boys' Clothing

our secret is we sell good goods a little cheaper than any other house in the city. We expect that our low prices for spring trade will scatter some first-class spring novelties quickly among good dressers.

F. R. M. COUPONS taken on all cash purchases but not on credit.

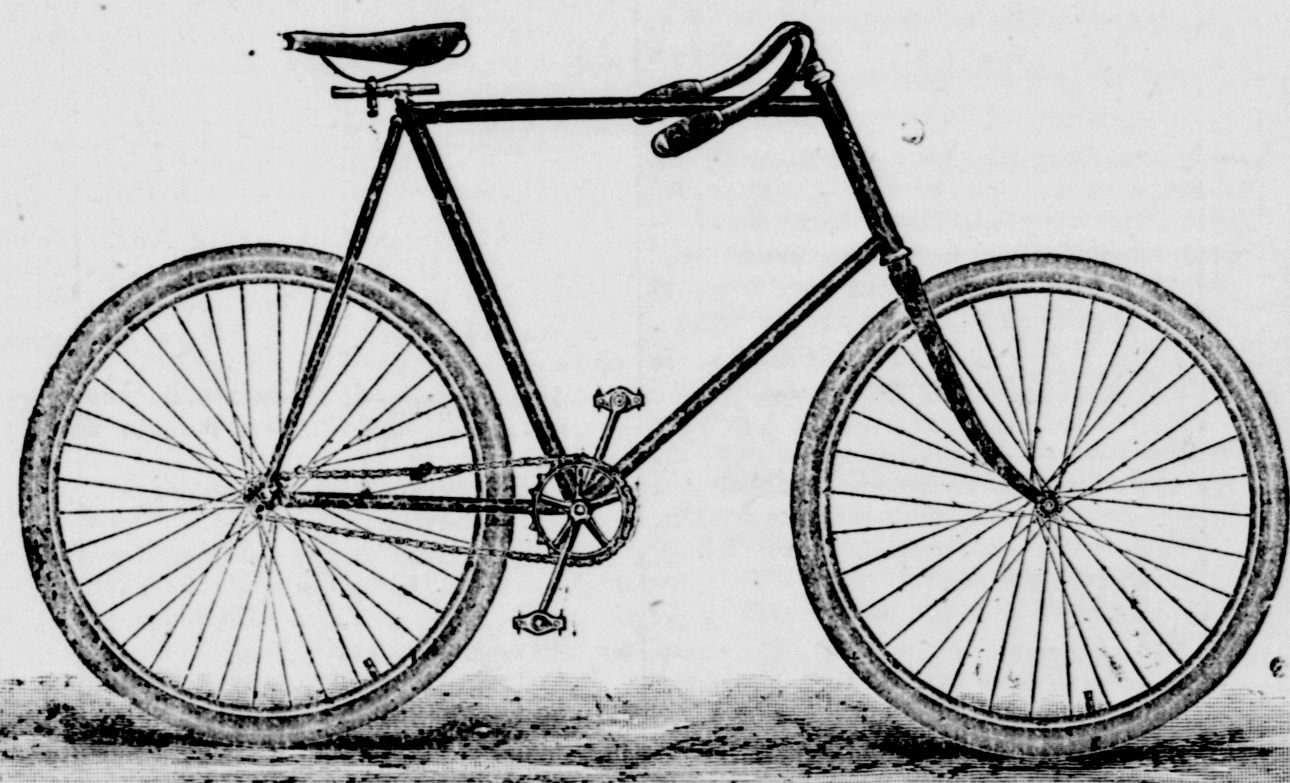
Remember--

A \$15 Suit free to the first customer who guesses the names of the republican and the democratic presidential and vice-presidential nominees. A consolation prize of the best Hat in the store to the first person who guesses right on the nomination of either party.

Frank H. Baack.

BICYCLES!

FOR CASH!



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We will sell until further NOTICE.

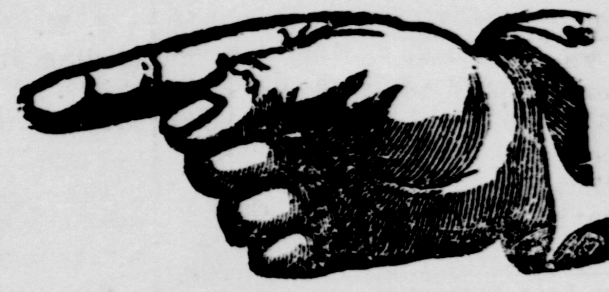
\$60.00 wheels for = = \$43.00

75.00 wheels for = = 59.00

at the Big Cash store on the Corner

Largest Stock of Bicycles Sundries in the City. Saddles, Tires, Pumps Repair Outfits, &c.

LOWELL HARDWARE CO.



One of His Trials.

"Hang the luck!" exclaimed Mr. Skinnaphint. "I forgot to notice how much money I had in my pocket when I started downtown this morning. I found a 50-cent piece on the seat when I got up to leave the car, and I don't know whether it had dropped out of my pocket or some other man had lost it. I can't tell whether I'm half a dollar ahead or whether I've had a narrow escape from losing half a dollar!"—Chicago Tribune.

Discharged.

Magistrate—The young woman says that your continued staring at her annoyed her excessively.

Prisoner—I never intentionally annoyed a woman in my life, your honor.

Magistrate—Then why did you stare at her so persistently?

Prisoner—Because she is pretty, and couldn't help it.

Young Woman—Let him go, judge.—Day City Chat.

A Summit of Ambition.

Oh, try to be a hero,
My noble little lad,
And some day in the magazines
You'll get to be a fad.
—Washington Star.

NO FALSE MODESTY.



"Harold, papa calls you a fortune hunter. I'm sorry I'm rich."
"So am I. Everybody will say that you bought me."—Day City Chat.

His Mission in Life.

Mrs. Bunting—My James is so cruel. He is always torturing the cat, throwing stones at dogs and sticking pins in little girls. What will he do when he grows up?

Mrs. Larkin—Oh, he'll easily get a place as attendant in an insane asylum.—Life.

The Cheerful Idiot.

"Now is the time," said the patriotic carder, "for some one to get up a national air that shall be distinctly American."

"What is the matter already," asked the Cheerful Idiot, with "You Can't Play in My Yard?"—Indianapolis Journal.

A Pointer.

Mrs. Brown—You should never point, Johnnie, it is very rude.

Johnnie—But what are you going to do, ma, when you don't know the name of the thing you want to see?

Mrs. B—Why, let the man show you everything in the store till he comes to it.—To Date.

She Knew It Herself.

Miss Wanterno—I have brought this book back. Mamma says it is not fit for me to read.

Librarian—I think your mother must be mistaken.

Miss Wanterno—Oh, no, she isn't. I've read it all through.—N. Y. World.

Always Moving.

"John," said a frightened wife in the middle of the night, "there is something moving in the cellar, I'm sure."

John listened intently.

"Oh, it's nothing but the gas meter pegging away," he said, with a sigh of relief.—Day City Chat.

After the Honeymoon.

Younghubby—What's this cake you made, dear?

Wife—Angel cake.

Younghubby—Do you think I am an angel?

Wife—No; but you will be if you only eat enough of it.—N. Y. World.

Chicago Strictly in It.

Jinks—Chicago people have a great many excellent plans for the future upbuilding of their city.

Winks—Yes; the place may be said to be paved with good intentions.—Town Topics.

Would Be a Mother to Him.

He—Do you love me well enough to be my wife?

She—More than that. I love you well enough to be your mother. Haven't you heard that I'm going to marry your father?—Boston Transcript.

The Difference.

Biggs—I am so stout that I know exercise would do me lots of good.

Tams—Then why don't you get out and shovel that snow off the walk?

Biggs—That's not exercise, that's work.—Truth.

The Late Lamented.

"I don't believe Mrs. Jones grieves any more over the death of her first husband, now that she has married a second husband."

"No, the second husband does that."—Texas Sifter.

Easily Arranged.

Mrs. Hiram—I don't quite like engaging a girl without references.

Bridget Nobelp—That's all right, mimm. You can pay me a month in advance.—Life.

Good Arithmetic.

Bloozin (to waiter)—I thought I told you to boil the eggs for four minutes. Here you've been 12 minutes at it.

Waiter—But you know you ordered three eggs, sir!—Roxbury Gazette.

Applying a Quotation.

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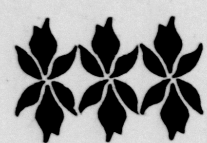
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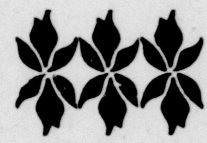
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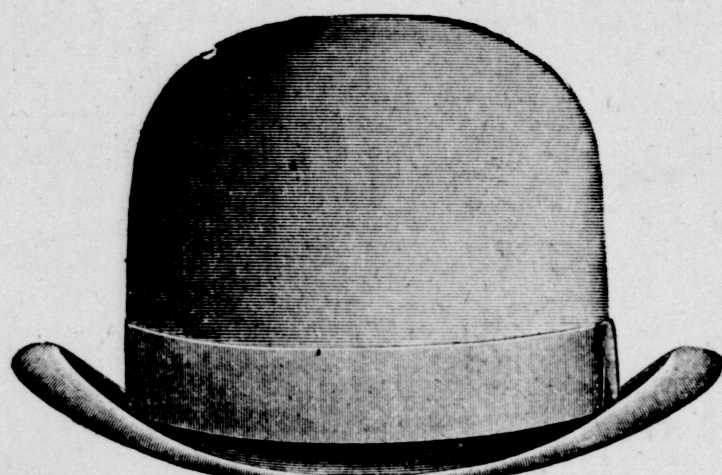


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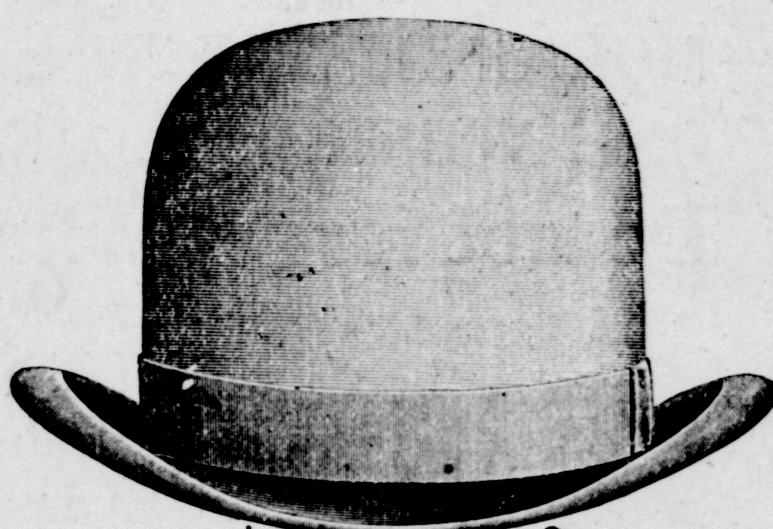
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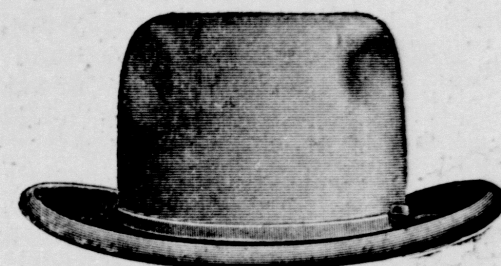


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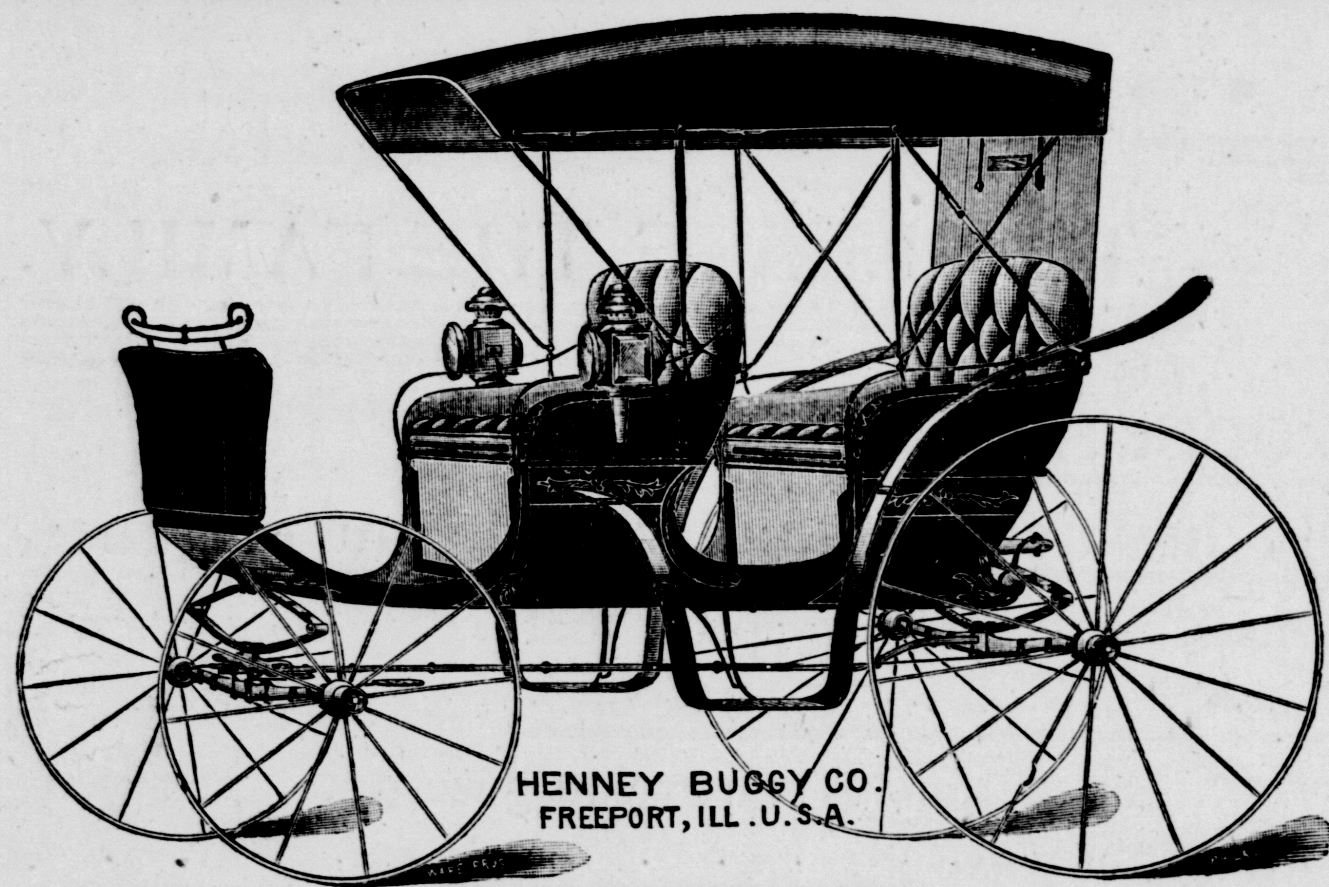
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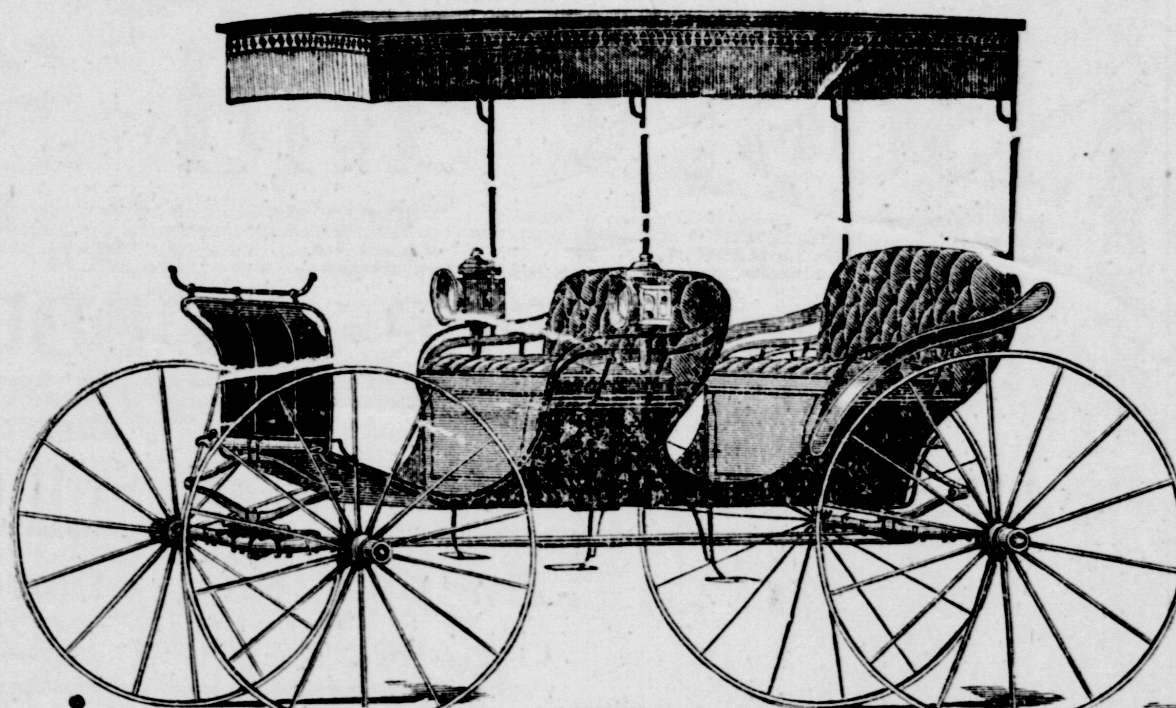
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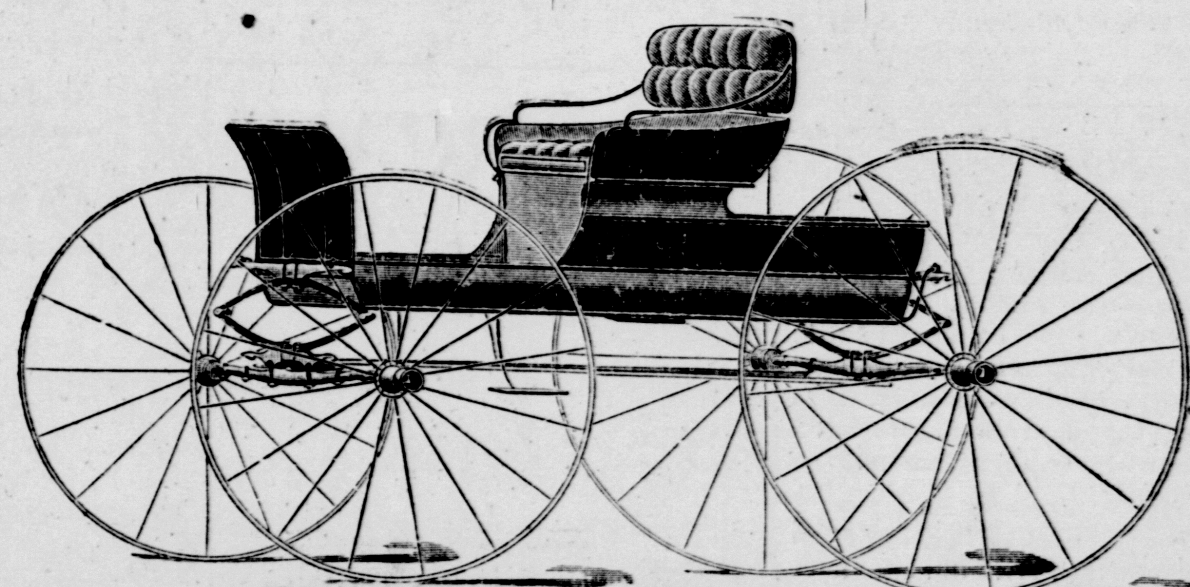
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